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Introduction

Carl Meissner's "Lateinische Phraseologie", first published in 1878, is a rich source of Latin idioms. I chose to transcribe its English translation by H.W. Auden, the "Latin Phrase-Book" to supplement Walter Ripman's "Classified Vocabulary", an equally useful book for Latin vocabulary, also transcribed by me and freely available.

Meissner's book of Latin phrases is based on his own collections and excerpts from Cicero, Caesar, and Livy, as well as various secondary literature.

But let Carl Meissner himself tell us about his work:²

"It cannot be denied that, while grammatical competence is rightly aimed at in the classical secondary schools [the German "Gymnasien"], and probably successfully so, the ability to freely use the language has not always kept abreast of it. The explanation for this can be found in one-sided concentration on purely formal aspects which lead to a neglect of the language in its expressions and phrases. It is, however, not enough to merely educate the pupils concerning grammar and style. Instead, one also has to methodically aim at enabling them to have at least some command of the language material. This goal, however, will not be attained either by time-consuming dictation of the phrases, or by leaving it up to the pupil to collect them. Instead the pupil has to be offered a definite but narrow stock of phrases for firm and sure acquisition which will then be available to him in the composition exercises.

Accordingly, only the most common and frequent phrases have been included in this phraseology, whereas all phrases have been omitted for which the student probably will have no use. It is then up to the pupil to broaden the material offered in this phraseology based on his reading matter."

As for the structure and content of the book:

"The phrases themselves are arranged in seventeen rather comprehensive categories, and these in turn have been divided into smaller groups for easier overall view. In doing so I have followed practical rather than strictly logical considerations. Furthermore, I found it appropriate to proceed from the Latin phrases in order not to stray too often into comparative stylistics which would have been unavoidable due to the differences of Latin and German idioms. I solely endeavoured to show which words can be combined in Latin, not how this or that German idiom might be best expressed in Latin."

Based on the curricula for the German "Gymnasien", Meissner suggested the following sequence:

- Sections 1, 2, 16, 17 (The World and Nature; Space and Time; War; Shipping).
- Sections 3, 4, 5, 12 (Parts of the Human Body; Properties of the Human Body; Human Life, its various Relations and Conditions; Domestic Life).
- Sections 14, 15, 11, 13, 6 (The State; Law and Justice; Religion; Commerce and Agriculture; The Mind, its Functions).
- Sections 7, 8, 9, 10 (The Arts and Sciences; Speech and Writing; The Emotions; Virtues and Vices).

In the hope that this work will be of use,

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² Translation (more or less free) made by the transcriber.

I. The World and Nature

1. The World—Creation

rerum or mundi universitas rerum natura or simply natura haec omnia, quae videmus totius mundi convenientia et consensus deus mundum aedificavit, fabricatus est, effecit (not creavit)

deus est mundi procreator (not creator),

aedificator, fabricator, opifex rerum elementa; initia or principia rerum elementa et tamquam semina rerum

nutus et pondus or simply nutus ($\rho o \pi \hat{\eta}$)

the universe. creation; nature. the visible world.

the perfect harmony of the universe.

God made the world.

God is the Creator of the world.

the elements.

the elements and first beginnings.

gravity.

2. The Earth and its Surface

orbis terrae, terrarum (terra) continens (B. G. 5. 8. 2) terra (regio) mediterranea interior Asia; interiora Asiae sinus urbis (Sall. Cat. 52. 35) in ipsam or intimam Graeciam penetrare

profert) fruges terra fundit fruges

(animalia) animata

inanimata) ea, quae terra gignit

ea, quae e terra gignuntur

ea, quae a terra stirpibus continentur ea quorum stirpes terra continentur (N. D. 2. the vegetable kingdom.

inanimaque

10. 26)

arbores stirpesque, herbae stirpesque (De the vegetable kingdom.

Fin. 5. 11. 33)

radices agere (De Off. 2. 12. 73) gemmas agere

gemmae proveniunt

the earth; the globe

the continent.

an inland region; the interior.

the interior of Asia. the heart of the city.

to penetrate into the heart of Greece. terra effert (more rarely fert, ⁵ but not the earth brings forth fruit, crops.

the earth brings forth fruit abundantly.

(not animate and inanimate nature.

the vegetable kingdom. the vegetable kingdom. the vegetable kingdom.

to take root. to bud, blossom. the trees are budding.

Creare is usually employed in the sense of producing, originating, causing, e.g. similitudo creat errorem; periculum alicui creare. It has, however, occasionally the meaning to create, e.g. De Fin. rerum quas creat natura.

To the Romans orbis terrarum (more rarely orbis terrae) meant all those countries which made up the Roman Empire.

ferre is also used metaphorically, to produce, e.g. haec aetas perfectum oratorem tulit (Brut. 12. <u>45</u>).

arbores frondescunt rami late diffunduntur montes vestiti silvis summus mons culmina Alpium

sub radicibus montis, in infimo monte, sub

superare Alpes, Pyrenaeum, Apenninum 6 (both always in the sing.)

altissimis montibus undique contineri

prospectus est ad aliquid

collis leniter ab infimo acclivis (opp. leniter a a gentle ascent.

summo declivis) ad extremum tumulum loca edita, superiora

loca aspera et montuosa (Planc. 9. 22)

loca plana or simply plana

saxa praerupta loca inculta

loca deserta (opp. frequentia) loca amoena, amoenitas locorum the trees are coming into leaf.

the twigs are shooting out, spreading.

wooded hills.

the top of a mountain. the summits of the Alps. at the foot of the mountain.

to cross the Alps, Pyrenees, Apennines.

to be shut in on all sides by very high mountains.

one has a view over...; one is able to see as far as...

on the edge of the hill. heights, high ground. rough and hilly ground. level country; plains.

steep rocks.

uncultivated districts.

deserts.

pleasant districts; charming surroundings.

3. Water—Rivers—Sea

summa aqua ex aqua exstare aqua est umbilīco tenus aqua pectus aequat, superat (se) ex aqua emergere aquam ex flumine derivare aquam ducere per hortum

aquae ductus (plur. aquarum ductus) °

agros irrigare

aqua viva, profluens (opp. stagnum)

aqua iugis, perennis

frigidā, calidā lavari (Plin. Ep. 3. 5. 11)

aquae, aquarum inops fluctuare or fluctuari fluctibus iactari

fluctibus (undis) obrui, ⁹submergi

the surface of the water. to stand out of the water. the water reaches to the waist.

the water is up to, is above, the chest.

to come to the surface.

to draw off water from a river.

to bring a stream of water through the garden.

a conduit; an aqueduct.

to irrigate fields. running water. a perpetual spring.

to take a cold, warm, bath.

ill-watered.

driven by the waves.

tossed hither and thither by the waves.

to be engulfed.

But Pyrenaei montes, saltus occur (B. G. 1. 1. 7; B.C. 1. 37. 1).

Also used metaphorically, e.g. (se) emergere ex malis (Nep. Att. 11. 1) to recover from misfortune. So emergere e fluctibus servitutis (Harusp. Resp. 23. 48).

aquae ductio = the action, process of drawing off the water; canalis = the water-pipe, channel, conduit.

So metaphorically, aere alieno obrutum esse, to be over head and ears in debt; nomen alicuius obruere perpetua oblivione, to drown a person's name in oblivion.

qurgitibus hauriri flumen citatum fertur flumen imbribus auctum flumen super ripas effunditur flumen extra ripas diffluit flumen agros inundat 10 flumen vado transire flumine secundo flumine adverso Rhenus oritur or profluit ex Alpibus accessus et recessus aestuum decessus aestus aestus maritimi mutuo accedentes et the alternation of tides. recedentes (N. D. 2. 53. 132) aestus ex alto se incitat (B. G. 3.12) aestu rursus minuente mare ventorum vi agitatur et turbatur mare medium or internum 11

to be drowned in the eddies. the rivers flows with a rapid current. a river swollen by the rain. the river is over its banks, is in flood. the river is over its banks, is in flood. the river floods the fields. to wade across, to ford a river. with the stream; downstream. against the stream; upstream. the Rhine rises in the Alps. ebb and flow (of tide). the ebb.

the tide is coming in. when the tide begins to go down. there is a storm at sea. the Mediterranean Sea.

4. Fire

ignem facere, accendere to light, make a fire. ignem tectis inferre, subicere to set fire to houses. ignem concipere, comprehendere to take fire. ignem excitare (pro Mur. 25. 51) to make up, stir up a fire. ianem alere to keep up a fire. to set buildings on fire. accendere, incendere aedificia inflammare urbem to set fire to a city. flammis corripi to be devoured by the flames. incendio flagrare, or simply conflagrare, to be on fire, in flames. *ardere* (Liv. 30. 7) incendio deleri, absūmi to be burned to ashes. igni cremari, necari to perish in the flames. to raise an alarm of fire. ignem conclamare ventus ignem distulit (B. G. 5. 43) the wind spread the conflagration.

5. Air—Sky—Climate—Heavenly Bodies

aer terrae circumiectus or circumfusus aer qui est terrae proximus suspicere 12 (in) caelum

oculos tollere, attollere ad caelum

the atmosphere. the atmosphere.

to raise the eyes to heaven; to look up to the sky.

to raise the eyes to heaven; to look up to the sky.

The Romans called it *mare nostrum* (B.G. 5.1). Similarly *mare Oceanus* (B. G. 3. 7), the Atlantic; mare superum, the Adriatic (Att. 8. 16. 1); mare inferum, the Etruscan Sea (Att. 8. 3. 5).

suspicere is also used figuratively, to look up to, esteem, honour, e.g. viros, honores. Similarly despicere.

Inundation = *eluvio*, not *inundatio* which is post-classical.

sub divo orbis finiens (Div. 2. 44. 92)

caelum or natura caeli

caelum salūbre, salubritas caeli (opp. grave,

gravitas)

caeli temperatio

aer calore et frigore temperatus

caeli asperitas caeli varietas caelestia

sol oritur, occidit ortus, occasus solis

sol 13 (luna) deficit, obscuratur

solis defectio

luna crescit; decrescit, senescit motus stellarum constantes et rati

cursum conficere in caelo

caelum astris distinctum et ornatum

nox sideribus illustris stellae errantes, vagae

stellae inerrantes (N. D. 2. 21. 54)

sidera certis locis infixa

orbis lacteus orbis signifer

vertex caeli, axis caeli, cardo caeli orbis, pars (terrae), cinqulus

orbis medius

in the open air. the horizon. climate.

healthy climate.

temperate climate. temperate climate. rough climate. variable climate.

(1) the heavenly bodies, (2) celestial

phenomena. the sun rises, sets. sunrise; sunset.

the sun, moon, is eclipsed. an eclipse of the sun. the moon waxes, wanes.

the regular courses of the stars. to run its course in the sky. the star-lit sky; the firmament.

a star-light night.

the planets. the fixed stars. the fixed stars. the milky way.

the zodiac. the pole. a zone.

the temperate zone.

6. Natural Phenomena

vocis imago, or simply imago ¹⁴ saxa voci respondent or resonant ventus remittit (opp. increbrescit)

ventus cadit, cessat

ventis secundis, adversis uti ventus se vertit in Africum

tempestas cooritur

imber tenet (Liv. 23. 44. 6)

imbres repente effusi

tempestatem idoneam, bonam nancisci

calor se frangit (opp. increscit)

sol ardet, urit ardore solis torreri

tanta vis frigoris insecuta est, ut frigore (gelu) rigere, torpere

frigore confici

an echo.

the rocks re-echo. the wind is falling.

the wind dies down, ceases.

to have favourable, contrary, winds. the wind is turning to the south-west.

a storm is rising. the rain continues. a sudden shower.

to meet with good weather.

the heat is abating. the sun burns, scorches.

to be dried up by the sun's heat. the frost set in so severely that...

to be numb with cold. to freeze to death.

Also metaphorically, e.g. *gloria virtuti resonat tamquam imago* (<u>Tusc. 3. 3</u>), glory is as it were the echo of virtue.

¹³ For an account of an eclipse *vid.* Liv. 44. 37.

aestus et frigoris patientem esse tonitribusque (Liv. 1. 16) caelum tonitru contremit fulmina 15 micant fulmen locum tetigit fulmine tangi, ici de caelo tangi, percuti fulmine ictus eruptiones ignium Aetnaeorum *Vesuvius evomit* (more strongly *eructat*) ignes

to be able to bear heat and cold.

tempestas cum magno fragore (caeli) a storm accompanied by heavy claps of thunder.

the heavens are shaken by the thunder.

the lightning flashes.

the lightning has struck somewhere.

to be struck by lightning. to be struck by lightning. struck by lightning. an eruption of Etna.

Vesuvius is discharging flame.

the east winds are blowing.

II. Space and Time

venti ab ortu solis flant

1. Points of the Compass—Situation

spectare in (vergere ad) orientem (solem), to lie to the east, west, south, north. occidentem 16 (solem), ad meridiem, in septentriones

spectare inter occasum solis et septentriones Germania quae or Germaniae ea pars quae,

ad orientem, occidentem vergit

est a septentrionibus collis

situs loci natura loci

opportunitas loci (B. G. 3. 14)

opportuno loco situm or positum esse

urbs situ ad aspectum praeclara est

oppidum mari adiacet villa tangit viam

oppidum colli impositum est oppidum monti subiectum est

promunturium in mare procurrit paeninsula in mare excurrit, procurrit

promunturium superare

urbs in sinu sita est

to be situate to the north-west. eastern, western Germany.

a hill lies to the north. the situation of a place.

the natural position of a place.

the advantageous situation of a place.

to be favourably situated.

the city is very beautifully situated.

the town lies near the sea.

the country-house stands near the road.

the town stands on rising ground. the town lies at the foot of a mountain. a promontory juts out into the sea.

a peninsula projects into the sea.

to double a cape.

the city is situate on a bay.

2. Boundary—Territory—Distance

tangere, attingere terram

to be contiguous, adjacent to a country.

Used sometimes figuratively, e.g. fulmen verborum, fulmina eloquentiae, fulmina fortunae (Tusc. 2. 27), fulmina imperii (Balb. 15. 34).

The east" and "the west" = orientis, occidentis (solis) terrae, partes, regiones, gentes. The adjectives orientalis, occidentalis are not used in good Latin. The north, i.e. northern countries, is represented by terrae septentrionibus subjectae; the south by terra australis.

finitimum 17 esse terrae to be contiguous, adjacent to a country. continentem esse terrae or cum terra (Fam. to have the same boundaries; to be <u>15. 2. 2</u>) coterminous. Gaul is bounded by the Rhone. 18 Gallia Rhodano continetur (vid. sect. V. 4., note contineri aliqua re...) Rhodanus Sequanos ab Helvetiis dividit the Rhone¹⁹ is the frontier between the Helvetii and the Sequani. to enlarge the boundaries of a kingdom. fines (imperii) propagare, extendere, (longius) proferre (ex) finibus excedere to evacuate territory. in Sequanis in the country of the Sequani. to invade the territory of the Seguani. in Sequanos proficisci porrigi ad septentriones to stretch northwards. haec gens pertinet usque ad Rhenum the territory of this race extends as far as the Rhine. in latitudinem, in longitudinem patere to extend in breadth, in length. late patere 20 (also metaphorically vid. sect. to have a wide extent. VIII. 8) imperium orbis terrarum terminis definitur the empire reaches to the ends of the world. longe, procul abesse ab urbe to be far from town. prope (propius, proxime) abesse to be not far away. paribus intervallis distare to be equidistant. tantundem viae est the road is the same length. longo spatio, intervallo interiecto at a great distance. to be separated by an immense interval of intervallo locorum et temporum disiunctum space and time. esse a mille passibus a mile away. e longinquo from a distance.

3. Road—Travel

longinguae nationes

extremae terrae partes

loca longingua

ultimae terrae

viam sternere (silice, saxo) substruere viam glarea (Liv. 41. 27) via strata

via trita²¹

to pave a road.

distant places.

distant nations.

to make a gravel path. a street, a made road.

a well-trodden, much-frequented way.

the most distant countries, the world's end.

the most distant countries, the world's end.

vicinum esse, to be neighbouring; used of houses, gardens, etc.

Transcriber's Note: The English original says "Gaul is bounded by the Rhine" which is wrong as can be seen both from the Latin expression and the original German edition.

Transcriber's Note: In the original book Auden translates "Rhodanus Sequanos ab Helvetiis dividit" wrongly as "the Rhine is the frontier between the Helvetii and the Sequani." The French and German versions correctly translate "Rhodanus" as "le Rhône" and "Rhone".

patere denotes extension in its widest sense; pertinere, extension from one point to another, e.g. ars et late patet et ad multos pertinet (De Or. 1. 55. 235); ex eo oppido pars ad Helvetios pertinet (B. G. 1. 6. 3).

tritus is also used figuratively, e.g. proverbium (sermone) tritum (De Off. 1. 10. 33), vocabulum latino sermone non tritum (Acad. 1. 7. 27).

viam munire 22 to make a road. viam patefacere, aperire to open a route. to cut one's way (through the enemies' ferro viam facere (per confertos hostes) viam intercludere to obstruct a road; to close a route. iter obstruere to obstruct a road; to close a route. via fert, ducit aliquo a road leads somewhere. in viam se dare to set out on a journey. viae se committere to set out on a journey. viam ingredi, inire (also metaphorically) to enter upon a route; to take a road. rectā (viā) straight on. de via deflectere to turn aside from the right way; to deviate. declinare, (also metaphorically) (de via) decedere alicui make way for any one. to set out by the Appian road. Appia via proficisci to direct a person who has lost his way. erranti viam monstrare the wanderings of Ulysses. errores Ulixis to continue one's journey, pursue one's viam persegui (also metaphorically) course. longam viam conficere to accomplish a long journey. fessus de via weary with travelling; way-worn. Hercules 23 in trivio, in bivio, in compitis Hercules at the cross-roads, between virtue and vice. iter facere (1) to take a journey, (2) to make, lay down a road (rare). una iter facere to travel together. iter ingredi (pedibus, equo, terra) to begin a journey (on foot, on horseback, by land). to journey towards a place. iter aliquo dirigere, intendere to journey towards a place. tendere aliquo longum itineris spatium emetiri to finish a very long journey. ex itinere redire 24 to return from a journey. *in itinere* 25 on a journey; by the way. iter terrestre, pedestre travel by land, on foot. itinera diurna nocturnaque travelling day and night. iter unius diei or simply diei a day's journey. iter impeditum an impassable road.

disiunctissimas ultimas terras peragrare (not

permigrare) peregrinatio

peregrinari, peregre esse

peregre proficisci

a foreign journey. to be travelling abroad.

to travel through the most remote countries.

to go abroad.

²³ *vid.* on this subject <u>De Off. 1. 32. 118; Fam. 5. 12. 3</u>.

 $^{^{22}}$ Cf. in metaphorical sense, *viam ad honores alicui munire* (Mur. 10. 23).

reverti means properly to turn back and retrace one's steps, after giving up one's intention of remaining longer in a place, or continuing one's journey, cf. <u>Div. 1. 15. 27</u>, itaque revertit ex itinere, cum iam progressus esset multorum dierum viam. Similarly reditus = return, reversio generally=turning back. Cicero only uses revenire in conjunction with domum.

ex itinere implies that the march was interrupted, thus there is a difference between *in itinere aliquem aggredi* and *ex itinere*, etc. In the same way distinguish *in fuga* and *ex fuga*, e.g. *ex fuga evadere, ex fuga dissipati*.

aliquem proficiscentem prosequi

to accompany any one when starting; to see a person off.

aliquem proficiscentem votis ominibusque to wish any one a prosperous journey. prosequi (vid. sect. VI. 11, note Prosegui...)

to make a pleasure-trip into the country.

rus excurrere ruri vivere, rusticari

to live in the country.

vita rustica

country life (the life of resident farmers,

rusticatio, vita rusticana

country life (of casual, temporary visitors).

4. Coming—Going

pedibus ire discedere a, de, ex loco aliquo egredi loco; 26 excedere ex loco

to leave a place. to leave a place.

to go on foot.

decedere loco, de, ex loco 27

to quit a place for ever.

ingredi, intrare urbem, introire in urbem

to enter a city.

portā ingredi, exire extra portam egredi commeare ad aliquem to go in at, go out of a gate. to go outside the gate.

Romam venire, pervenire adventus Romam, in urbem to go in and out of any one's house; to visit frequently.

in unum locum convenire, confluere Romam concurrere (Mil. 15. 39)

to come to Rome.

obviam ire alicui obviam venire alicui arrival in Rome, in town.

obvium or obviam esse, obviam fieri

to collect together at one spot. to stream towards Rome.

incidere in aliquem

to meet any one.

offendere, nancisci aliquem

to go to meet some one. to meet some one by chance.

to meet, come across a person; to meet casually.

obviam alicui aliquem mittere

to meet, come across a person; to meet casually.

to send to meet a person.

5. Riding—Driving

curru vehi, in rheda (Mil. 21. 55) eguo vehi

to drive. to ride.

sternere equum

to saddle a horse.

conscendere equum ascendere in equum descendere ex equo

to mount. to mount. to dismount.

in equo sedere; equo insidēre

to be on horseback.

relinquere, e.g. domum, properly means to give up, renounce the possession or enjoyment of a place.

Cf. especially decedere (ex, de) provincia, used regularly of a magistrate leaving his province on expiry of his term of office. Similarly, where life is compared to a province, decedere (de) vita, or merely *decedere* = to quit this life, die (cf. <u>De Sen. 20. 73</u>).

(in) equo haerere calcaria subdere equo calcaribus equum concitare equo citato or admisso freno remisso; effusis habenis equum in aliquem concitare

habenas adducere habenas permittere admittere, permittere equum frenos 28 dare equo agitare equum moderari equum equi consternantur

equos incitatos sustinere

to sit a horse well; to have a good seat.

to put spurs to a horse. to put spurs to a horse.

at full gallop. with loose reins.

ride against any one at full speed; charge a

person.

to tighten the reins. to slacken the reins. to give a horse the reins. to give a horse the reins. to make a horse prance. to manage a horse.

the horses are panic-stricken, run away. to bring horses to the halt when at full

gallop.

6. Walking—Footsteps—Direction

gradum facere to take a step.

gradum addere (sc. gradui) (Liv. 26. 9) to increase one's pace.

suspenso gradu on tiptoe.

gradum sensim referre to retreat step by step. vestigia alicuius sequi, persequi or vestigiis to follow in any one's steps.

aliquem sequi, persequi

vestigiis alicuius insistere, ingredi (also to follow in any one's steps.

metaph.)

loco or *vestigio se non movere* not to stir from one's place.

recta (regione, via); in directum in a straight line.

in an oblique direction; sideways. in obliquum to run obliquely down the hill. obliquo monte decurrere

in an opposite direction. in contrarium; in contrarias partes in transversum, e transverso across; transversely. quoquo versus; in omnes partes in all directions.

in diversas partes or simply diversi abeunt, they disperse in different directions.

discedunt huc (et) illuc hither and thither.

ultro citroque on this side and on that; to and fro. longe lateque, passim (e.g. fluere) far and wide; on all sides; everywhere.

7. Movement in General

se conferre in aliquem locum to go to a place. to go to a place petere locum where are you going? auo tendis?

sublimem or sublime (not in sublime or to fly aloft; to be carried into the sky.

sublimiter) ferri, abire

praecipitem ire; in praeceps deferri to fall down headlong.

²⁸ Cf. *frenos, calcaria alicui adhibere*, used metaphorically.

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in profundum deici se deicere de muro deicere aliquem de saxo Tarpeio Nilus praecipitat²⁹ ex altissimis montibus

se proripere ex domo humi procumbere humi prosternere aliquem in terram cadere, decidere in terram demergi appropinquare urbi, rarely ad urbem propius accedere ad urbem or urbem longius progredi, procedere Romam versus proficisci ad Romam proficisci properat, maturat proficisci consequi, assequi aliquem praecurrere aliquem (celeritate) post se relinguere aliquem multitudo circumfunditur alicui per totum corpus diffundi

to fall down into the abyss.

to throw oneself from the ramparts.

to throw some one down the Tarpeian rock. the Nile rushes down from very high

mountains.

to rush out of the house.

to fall on the ground.

to throw any one to the ground.

to fall to the earth.

to sink into the earth.

to draw near to a city.

to advance nearer to the city.

to march further forward.

to advance in the direction of Rome.

to set out for Rome.

he starts in all haste, precipitately.

to catch some one up.

to overtake and pass some one.

to overtake and pass some one.

a crowd throngs around some one.

to spread over the whole body.

8. Time in General

tempus praeterit, transit tempus habere alicui rei

tempus mihi deest ad aliquid faciendum

tempus consumere in aliqua re

tempus terere, conterere (in) aliqua re

tempus conferre ad aliquid tempus tribuere alicui rei

tempus non amittere, perdere

nullum tempus intermittere, quin (also ab opere, or ad opus)

tempus ducere

aliquid in aliud tempus, in posterum differre nihil mihi longius est or videtur quam dum or

auam ut

nihil mihi longius est quam (c. Inf.)

(spatium) deliberandi deliberandum postulare, dare, sibi sumere

paucorum dierum spatium ad deliberandum to give some one a few days for reflection.

tempori servire, 30 cedere ex quo tempore or simply ex quo time passes.

to have time for a thing.

I have no time to do something.

to pass one's time in doing something.

to waste time on something.

to employ one's time in...

to devote time to anything.

to lose no time.

to devote every spare moment to...; to work

without intermission at a thing.

to spend time.

to put off till another time; to postpone.

I cannot wait till...

nothing is more tiresome to me than... to require, give, take time for deliberation.

to accommodate oneself to circumstances. since the time that, since (at the beginning of a sentence).

praecipitare is also transitive, e.g. praecipitare aliquem, to hurl a person down; ruere always intransitive except in poetry.

³⁰ The verb *servire* helps to form several phrases, e.g. *servire valetudini*, to be a valetudinarian; iracundiae, to be unable to restrain one's anger; brevitati, to be concise; communi utilitati, to be devoted to the public good, etc.

eo ipso tempore, cum; tum ipsum, cum at the same moment that, precisely when. incidunt tempora, cum occasions arise for... tempus (ita) fert (not secum) circumstances demand. tempus maximum est, ut it is high time that... haec tempora, nostra haec aetas, memoria the present day. his temporibus, nostra (hac) aetate, nostra in our time; in our days. memoria, his (not nostris) diebus nostra aetas multas victorias vidit our generation has seen many victories. in our fathers' time. memoria patrum nostrorum aetate (temporibus) Periclis in the time of Pericles. antiquis 31 temporibus in old days, in the olden time. libera re publica in the time of the Republic. tempora Caesariana the imperial epoch. media quae vocatur aetas the middle ages. Pericles summus vir illius aetatis Pericles, quo nemo tum fuit clarior Pericles, vir omnium, qui tum fuerunt, clarissimus vir ut temporibus illis doctus times. tempore progrediente in process of time. primo quoque tempore at the first opportunity. hoc tempore at this moment. puncto temporis in an instant. momento 32 temporis at the important moment. in ipso discrimine (articulo) temporis just at the critical moment. temporis causa on the spur of the moment. ad tempus 33 adesse to be there at a given time. ad exiguum tempus for a short time. brevis or exiqui temporis for a short time. after a fairly long interval. satis longo intervallo spatio temporis intermisso after some time. in praesentia, in praesens (tempus) at present; for the moment. in posterum; in futurum

in perpetuum semel atque iterum; iterum ac saepius; more than once; repeatedly. identidem; etiam atque etiam

futura providere (not praevidere)

futura or casus futuros (multo ante) to foresee the far distant future.

prospicere

futura non cogitare, curare

saeculi³⁴ consuetudo or ratio atque inclinatio the spirit of the times, the fashion. temporis (temporum)

Pericles, the greatest man of his day. Pericles, the greatest man of his day. Pericles, the greatest man of his day.

a man of considerable learning for those

for the future. for ever.

to foresee the future.

to take no thought for the future.

antiquitas = the state of affairs in times gone by, not a division of time; so antiquitatis studia, archaeology; veteres or antiqui poetae, populi, the poets, people of antiquity; antiqua monumenta, the relics of antiquity. antiquitates plur. is used for the institutions, usages of times gone by.

momentum (i.e. movimentum) is properly that which sets in motion, which gives a decisive impulse to things, cf. Luc. iv. 819, momentumque fuit mutatus Curio rerum. Livy and later writers employ the word in the sense of a moment of time.

ad tempus also means (1) according to the circumstances of the case, e.g. ad tempus consilium capere, (2) for a short time, temporarily.

9. Year-Seasons

praeterito anno (not praeterlapso)

superiore, priore anno

proximo anno insequenti(e) anno (not sequente)

peracto, circumacto, interiecto, anno

intermisso

anno vertente

initio anni, ineunte anno exeunte, extremo anno

singulis annis, diebus

quinto quoque anno

ad annum

viginti anni et amplius, aut plus

abhinc (ante) viginti annos or viginti his twenty years ago.

annis

quinque anni sunt or sextus annus est, cum I have not seen you for five years.

te non vidi

quinque annos or sextum (iam) annum abest he has been absent five years.

anno ab urbe condita quinto

commutationes temporum quadripartitae

verno, aestivo, auctumnali, hiberno tempore

ineunte, primo vere

ver appetit

suavitas verni temporis

summa aestate, hieme

hiems subest hiemem tolerare

anni descriptio

annus (mensis, dies) intercalaris

fasti

in the past year.

last year.

(1) last year; (2) next year.

in the following year.

after a year has elapsed.

in the course of the year. at the beginning of the year.

at the end of the year. year by year; day by day.

every fifth year. a year from now.

amplius sunt (quam) viginti anni or viginti it is more than twenty years ago.

twenty years and more.

in the fifth year from the founding of the

citv.

the succession of the four seasons.

in spring, summer, autumn, winter time.

at the beginning of spring. spring is approaching.

the charms of spring.

in the height of summer, depth of winter.

winter is at hand. to bear the winter.

the division of the year (into months, etc.)

the intercalary year (month, day).

the calender (list of fasts and festivals).

10. Day—Divisions of the Day

ante lucem prima luce luce (luci)

ubi illuxit, luxit, diluxit lucet

before daybreak. at daybreak. in full daylight. when it was day. it is daylight.

The *spirit* of a thing is usually rendered by such words as *natura*, *proprietas*, *ratio atque voluntas*, e.g. the spirit, genius of a language, natura or proprietas sermonis; the spirit of the laws, voluntas et sententia legum.

Unless one is emphasised unus is left out with the following words: annus, mensis, dies, hora, and verbum.

diluculo in the morning twilight. advesperascit evening is drawing on. when it is growing dusk; towards evening. die, caelo vesperascente multus dies or multa lux est the day is already far advanced. ad multam noctem till late at night. de nocte, de die while it is still night, day. multa de nocte late at night. intempesta, concubia nocte in the dead of night; at midnight. in the silence of the night. silentio noctis the succession of day and night. vicissitudines dierum noctiumque noctes diesque, noctes et dies, et dies et night and day. noctes, dies noctesque, diem noctemque tempus matutīnum, meridianum, morning, noon, evening, night. vespertinum, nocturnum tempora matutina the morning hours. in dies (singulos) from day to day. in diem vivere to live from day to day. alternis diebus every other day. auattuor dies continui four successive days. one or two days. unus et alter dies dies unus, alter, plures intercesserant one, two, several days had passed, intervened. diem proferre (Att. 13. 14) to adjourn, delay. biduo serius 36 two days late. horā citius an hour too soon. postridie qui fuit dies Non. Sept. (Nonarum on the day after, which was September 5th. Septembrium) (Att. 4. 1. 5)

hodie qui est dies Non. Sept.; cras qui dies to-day the 5th of September; tomorrow futurus est Non. Sept. September the 5th. yesterday, to-day, tomorrow. dies hesternus, hodiernus, crastinus to appoint a date for an interview. diem dicere colloquio

ad diem constitutam at the appointed time. diem videre, cum... to live to see the day when... time will assuage his grief. dies dolorem mitigabit what time is it?

quota hora est?

it is the third hour (= 9 A.M.)tertia hora est

ad horam compositam at the time agreed on.

III. Parts of the Human Body

omnibus artubus contremiscere to tremble in every limb.

aures claudere, patefacere (e.g. veritati, to turn a deaf ear to, to open one's ears to...

assentatoribus)

aures praebere alicui to listen to a person.

aures alicuius obtundere or simply obtundere to din a thing into a person's ears.

(aliquem)

in aurem alicui dicere (insusurrare) aliquid to whisper something in a person's ears.

ad aures alicuius (not alicui) pervenire, to come to some one's ears. accidere

Used absolutely "too late" = sero; if "too late for," "later than," always serius (quam).

his words find an easy hearing, are listened oratio in aures influit to with pleasure. aures elegantes, teretes, tritae (De Or. 9. a fine, practised ear. <u>27</u>) neque auribus neque oculis satis consto I am losing my eyesight and getting deaf. caput aperire (opp. operire) to uncover one's head. capite aperto (opp. operto) bare-headed. capite obvoluto with head covered. caput demittere to bow one's head. to cut off a man's head. caput praecīdere caput 3/ parieti impingere to strike one's head against the wall. cervices (in Cic. only in plur.) frangere alicui to break a person's neck. or *alicuius* gladius cervicibus impendet a sword hangs over his neck. hostis ³⁸ in cervicibus alicuius est the foe is at our heels, is upon us. promittere crinem, barbam to grow one's hair, beard long. with dishevelled hair. passis crinibus capilli horrent his hair stands on end. capilli compti, compositi (opp. horridi) well-ordered, well-brushed hair. extremis digitis aliquid attingere to touch with the fingertips. frontem contrahere (opp. explicare) to frown. frontem ferire, percutere to beat one's brow. in fronte alicuius inscriptum est one can see it in his face. ab alicuius latere non discedere to be always at a person's side. to belong to the king's bodyguard. a latere regis esse to give one's hand to some one. manum (dextram) alicui porrigere manum non vertere alicuius rei causa 39 to make not the slightest effort; not to stir a manus inicere, inferre, afferre alicui to lay violent hands on a person. manus tollere to raise one's hands in astonishment. manus dare to own oneself conquered, surrender. manu ducere aliquem to lead some one by the hand. manu or in manu tenere aliquid to hold something in one's hand. manibus habere aliquid (also to have something in one's hands, on hand. in metaphorically) de manu in manus or per manus tradere to pass a thing from hand to hand. aliquid ex or de manibus alicui or alicuius to wrest from a person's hand.

to prick up one's ears.

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extorquere aliquid e manibus dimittere

in alicuius manus venire, pervenire

aures erigere

to let go from one's hands.

to come into some one's hands.

caput has several metaphorical meanings, e.g. capita coniurationis (Liv. 9. 26), the leaders of the conspiracy; caput Graeciae, the capital of Greece; caput cenae, the chief dish; capita legis, the headings, clauses of a law; id quod caput est, the main point; de capite deducere (Liv. 6. 15), to subtract from the capital; capitis periculum, mortal peril; capitis deminutio (maxima, media, minima) (Liv. 22. 60), deprivation of civil rights. caput is often combined with fons = source, origin, e.g. ille fons et caput Socrates (Cic. De. Or. 1. 42); in aegritudine est fons miseriarum et caput (Cic.) By metonymy caput is used with liberum (and noxium) (Verr. 2. 32. 79) with the meaning of a free (guilty) person, individual.

ganty) person, marviadan.

8 Cf. velut in cervicibus habere hostem (<u>Liv. 44. 39</u>); bellum ingens in cervicibus est (<u>Liv. 22. 33. 6</u>).

³⁹ Cf. *ne digitum quidem porrigere alicuius rei causa*.

in alicuius manus incidere in manus(m) sumere aliquid in manibus ⁴⁰ aliquem gestare e (de) manibus effugere, 41 elābi inter manus auferre aliquem compressis manibus sedere (proverb.) (Liv. mordicus tenere aliquid oculos conicere in aliquem oculos circumferre in omnes partes aciem (oculorum) intendere omnium oculos (et ora) ad se convertere

omnium animos or mentes in se convertere conspici, conspicuum esse aliqua re oculos (aures, animum 42) advertere ad to turn one's eyes (ears, attention) towards aliauid oculi in vultu alicuius habitant

oculos figere in terra and in terram oculos pascere aliqua re (also simply pasci to feast one's eyes with the sight of... aliqua re) oculos deicere, removere ab aliqua re oculos operire (morienti) 43 oculorum aciem alicui praestringere (also simply *praestringere*) oculos, lumina amittere

oculis privare aliquem luminibus orbare aliquem oculis captum esse 44 (vid. sect. IV. 6., note auribus, oculis...)

ante oculos aliquid versatur

oculis, ante oculos (animo) proponere aliquid ante oculos vestros (not vobis) res gestas proponite

cernere et videre aliquid oculis mentis videre aliquid in oculis aliquem ferre aliquis est mihi in oculis

abire ex oculis, e conspectu alicuius

to fall unexpectedly into some one's hands.

to take something into one's hands.

to carry in one's arms.

to slip, escape from the hands.

to carry some one away in one's arms.

to sit with folded arms; to be inactive.

to hold fast in the teeth (also metaphorically, obstinately).

to turn one's gaze on; to regard.

to look in every direction.

to gaze intently all around.

to draw every one's eyes upon one.

to attract universal attention.

to make oneself conspicuous.

an object.

his eyes are always fixed on some one's

to keep one's eyes on the ground.

to turn one's gaze away from an object. to close the eyes of a dying person.

to dazzle a person.

to lose one's sight.

to deprive a person of his eyes.

to deprive a person of his eyes.

to be blind.

something presents itself to my vision. to picture a thing to oneself; to imagine. picture to yourselves the circumstances.

to see clearly, distinctly. to see with the mind's eye.

to cherish as the apple of one's eye. to cherish as the apple of one's eye.

to go out of sight, disappear.

Notice too liberos de parentum complexu avellere (Verr. 2. 1. 3. 7), to snatch children from their parents' "arms" (not brachium), so in alicuius complexu mori; in alicuius complexu haerere. medium aliquem amplecti, to take to one's arms, embrace; libentissimo animo accipere, to welcome with open

⁴¹ Distinguish *effugere aliquid*, to escape the touch of, e.g. *invidiam, mortem*; and *effugere ex aliqua* re, to escape from a position one is already in, e.g. e carcere, e caede, e praelio. Notice fugit me, it escapes my notice.

animum advertere aliquid = animadvertere aliquid = to notice a thing; animadvertere in aliquem = to punish a person.

To shut one's eyes to a thing, conivere in aliqua re.

⁴⁴ Cf. *caecatus, occaecatus cupiditate, stultitia*.

venire in conspectum alicuius se in conspectum dare alicui

fugere alicuius conspectum, aspectum conspectu omnium

inspectantibus

omnia uno aspectu, conspectu intueri

non apparere

pedibus obterere, conculcare ad pedes alicuius accidere

ad pedes alicuius se proicere, se abicere, to throw oneself at some one's feet.

procumbere, se prosternere

ad pedes alicuius iacēre, stratum esse to prostrate oneself before a person.

(stratum iacēre)

quod ante pedes est or positum est, non to fail to see what lies before one.

sanguine manare, redundare

vultum fingere

vultus ficti simulatique

vultum componere ad severitatem

vultum non mutare

to come in sight.

to show oneself to some one. to keep out of a person's sight.

or *omnibus* before every one, in the sight of the world.

to take in everything at a glance.

to have disappeared.

to trample under foot. to fall at some one's feet.

to drip blood; to be deluged with blood. to dissemble, disguise one's feelings.

a feigned expression. to put on a stern air.

keep one's countenance, remain

impassive.

IV. Properties of the Human Body

1. Feelings—Sensations—Powers

sensus sani, integri, incorrupti sensibus praeditum esse

sensu audiendi carere

sub sensum or sub oculos, sub aspectum to come within the sphere of the senses.

cadere

sensibus or sub sensus subiectum esse

sensibus percipi

res sensibus or oculis subiectae (De Fin. 5. the world of sense, the visible world.

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res quas oculis cernimus

res externae

sensus movere (more strongly pellere)

aliquid sensus suaviter afficit

aliquid sensus iucunditate perfundit

pulsu externo, adventicio agitari

sevocare mentem a sensibus (De Nat. D. 3. to free one's mind from the influences of the

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aliquid a sensibus meis abhorret

vires corporis or merely *vires* vires colligere

sound, unimpaired senses. to be endowed with sense.

not to possess the sense of hearing.

to come within the sphere of the senses.

to be perceptible to the senses.

the world of sense, the visible world. the world of sense, the visible world. to make an impression on the senses.

a thing makes a pleasant impression on the senses.

a thing makes a pleasant impression on the senses.

to be affected by some external impulse, by external impressions.

senses.

something offends my instincts, goes against the grain.

bodily strength.

to gain strength.

vires aliquem deficiunt dum vires suppetunt bonis esse viribus pro viribus or pro mea parte pro virili parte 45 (cf. sect. V. 22.) to lose strength. as long as one's strength holds out. to be robust, vigorous. as well as I can; to the best of my ability. as well as I can; to the best of my ability.

2. Birth-Life

in lucem edi ei, propter quos hanc lucem aspeximus *tollere* 46 or *suscipere liberos*

aliquem in liberorum loco habere sexus (not genus) virilis, muliebris patre, (e) matre natus Cato Uticensis ortus erat a Catone Censorio

originem ab aliquo trahere, ducere Romae natus, (a) Roma oriundus cuias es natione, genere Anglus ortus ab Anglis or oriundus ex Anglis urbs patria or simply patria animam, spiritum ducere aera spiritu ducere animam continere cursu exanimari (B.G. 2. 23. 1) spiritum intercludere alicui in vita esse

vita or hac luce frui

vitam beatam (miseram) degere

vitam, aetatem (omnem aetatem, omne aetatis tempus) agere (honeste, ruri, in

litteris), degere, traducere

dum vita suppetit; dum (quoad) vivo

si vita mihi suppeditat ⁴ si vita suppetit

quod reliquum est vitae

vitae cursum or curriculum 48 conficere

Homerus fuit 49 multis annis ante Romam Homer lived many years

conditam

to see the light, come into the world. those to whom we owe our being.

to accept as one's own child; to make oneself responsible for its nurture and education.

to treat as one's own child. the male, female sex.

son of such and such a father, mother.

Cato of Utica was a direct descendant of Cato the Censor.

to trace one's descent from some one.

a native of Rome.

what country do you come from?

an Englishman by birth. a native of England. native place.

to breathe, live. to breathe the air. to hold one's breath.

to run till one is out of breath.

to suffocate a person.

to be alive.

to enjoy the privilege of living; to be alive.

to live a happy (unhappy) life.

to live (all) one's life (honourably, in the country, as a man of learning).

as long as I live. if I live till then. if I live till then. the rest of one's life. to finish one's career.

before the

foundation of Rome.

pro virili parte is distinct from the other expressions, as implying more assurance and confidence on the part of the speaker.

⁴⁶ It was the custom for a Roman father to lift up his new-born child, which was laid on the ground at his feet; hence the expression tollere, suscipere.

suppeditare (1) transitive, to supply sufficiently; (2) intrans. to be present in sufficient quantities =

vitae (vivendi) cursus or curriculum = life, career—considering its duration, length. Life = biography is not curriculum vitae, but simply vita, vitae descriptio.

3. Time of Life

(The terms for the different ages of man are *infans*, *puer*, *adulescens*, *iuvenis*, *senior*, *senex*, *grandis natu*.)

ea aetate, id aetatis esse

a puero (is), a parvo (is), a parvulo (is)

a teneris unguiculis (ἑξ ἀπαλων ὁνύχων)

(Fam. 1. 6. 2)

ab ineunte (prima) aetate (De Or. 1. 21. 97)

ex pueris excedere

flos aetatis

aetate florere, vigere integra aetate esse adulescentia deferbuit aetate progrediente

aetate ingravescente

aetas constans, media, firmata, corroborata

(not *virilis*)

grandior factus

corroborata, firmata aetate

sui iuris factum esse

aetate provectum esse (not aetate provecta)

longius aetate provectum esse

grandis natu aetate affecta esse vires consenescunt

senectute, senio confectum esse

exacta aetate mori

ad summam senectutem pervenire

senectus nobis obrēpit admodum adulescens, senex

extrema aetas

extremum tempus aetatis

vita occidens

aequalem esse alicuius

maior (natu)

aetate alicui antecedere, anteire

quot annos natus es? qua aetate es?

tredecim annos natus sum tertium decimum annum ago

puer decem annorum

decimum aetatis annum ingredi

to be of such and such an age.

from youth up.

from one's cradle, from one's earliest

childhood.

from one's entry into civil life.

to leave one's boyhood behind one, become

a man.

the prime of youthful vigour. to be in the prime of life. to be in the prime of life. the fires of youth have cooled.

with advancing years.

with the weight, weakness of declining

years.

manhood.

having reached man's estate. having reached man's estate.

to have become independent, be no longer a

minor.

to be advanced in years.

to be more advanced in years.

aged.

to be infirm through old age. to become old and feeble. to be worn out by old age. to die at a good old age.

to live to a very great age. old age creeps on us insensibly.

still quote a young (old) man. the last stage of life, one's last days.

the last stage of life, one's last days.

the evening of life.

to be a contemporary of a person.

the elder

to be older than. how old are you? how old are you?

I am thirteen years old. I am in my thirteenth year.

a boy ten years old.

to be entering on one's tenth year.

To live, speaking chronologically, is *esse*; *vivere* denotes to be alive, pass one's life, e.g. *laute, in otio*.

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decem annos vixisse

decimum annum excessisse, egressum esse

to be ten years old.

to be more than ten years old, to have

entered on one's eleventh year.

minorem esse viginti annis to be not yet twenty.

tum habebam decem annos I was ten years old at the time.

centum annos complere to reach one's hundredth year, to live to be a hundred.

vitam ad annum centesimum perducere to reach one's hundredth year, to live to be

a hundred.

accessio paucorum annorum the addition of a few years.

tertiam iam aetatem videre to be middle-aged (i.e. between thirty and

to happen during a person's life, year of in aetatem alicuius, in annum incidere

office.

omnium suorum or omnibus suis superstitem to outlive, survive all one's kin.

esse

homines qui nunc sunt (opp. qui tunc our contemporaries; men of our time.

fuerunt)

homines huius aetatis, nostrae memoriae

posteri

scriptores aetate posteriores or *inferiores*

our contemporaries; men of our time.

posterity.

later writers.

4. Hunger—Thirst

esurire to be hungry.

fame laborare, premi to be tormented by hunger, to be starving.

to endure the pangs of hunger. famem tolerare, sustentare

inediā mori or vitam finire to starve oneself to death. to die of starvation.

fame confici, perire, interire

fame necari to be starved to death (as punishment).

to allay one's hunger, thirst. famem, sitim explere famem sitimque depellere cibo et potione to allay one's hunger, thirst. to suffer agonies of thirst. siti cruciari, premi

to become thirsty. sitim colligere

sitim haustu gelidae aquae sedare to slake one's thirst by a draught of cold

famis et sitis ⁵⁰ patientem esse to be able to endure hunger and thirst.

5. Laughter—Tears

risum edere, tollere 51

to begin to laugh. cachinnum tollere, edere to burst into a roar of laughter.

risum movere, concitare to raise a laugh.

risum elicere (more strongly excutere) alicui to make a person laugh.

sitis is also used metaphorically—e.g. libertatis sitis (Rep. 1. 43. 66), so sitire—e.g. honores (De Fin. 4. 5. 3), libertatem (Rep. 1. 43. 66), sanguinem (Phil. 2. 7. 20). The participle sitiens takes the Gen. e.g. sitiens virtutis (Planc. 5. 13).

Not in risum erumpere, which only occurs in late Latin. However, risus, vox, fletus erumpit is

classical, similarly indignatio (Liv. 4. 50), furor, cupiditates (Cael. 12. 28).

risum captare risum tenere vix posse risum aegre continere posse aliquid in risum vertere

to try and raise a laugh. to be scarcely able to restrain one's laughter.

to be scarcely able to restrain one's laughter. to make a thing ridiculous, turn it into a

ioke.

lacrimas, vim lacrimarum effundere,

profundere

in lacrimas effundi or lacrimis perfundi

lacrimis obortis multis cum lacrimis

magno cum fletu lacrimas tenere non posse fletum cohibere non posse vix mihi tempero quin lacrimem vix me contineo quin lacrimem lacrimas or fletum alicui movere

prae lacrimis loqui non posse

gaudio lacrimare

hinc illae lacrimae (proverb.) (Ter. And. 1. 1. hence these tears; there's the rub.

99; Cael. 25. 61)

lacrimula (Planc. 31. 76) lacrimae simulatae

to burst into a flood of tears.

to be bathed in tears. with tears in one's eyes.

with many tears. with many tears.

to be hardly able to restrain one's tears. to be hardly able to restrain one's tears. to be hardly able to restrain one's tears. to be hardly able to restrain one's tears.

to move to tears.

to be unable to speak for emotion.

to weep for joy.

crocodiles' tears. crocodiles' tears.

6. Health—Sickness

bona (firma, prospera) valetudine ⁵² esse or to enjoy good health.

uti (vid. sect. VI. 8., note uti...) valetudini consulere, operam dare firma corporis constitutio or affectio infirma, aegra valetudine esse or uti

in morbum incidit aegrotare coepit

morbo tentari or *corripi* morbo afflīgi

lecto teneri vehementer, graviter aeogratare, iacēre gravi morbo affectum esse, conflictari, vexari

leviter aegrotare, minus valere

aestu et febri iactari

omnibus membris captum esse 53

ex pedibus laborare, pedibus aegrum esse pestilentia (not pestis) in urbem (populum)

invadit animus relinquit aliquem

morbus ingravescit 54

to take care of one's health.

a good constitution. to be ill, weakly.

he fell ill. he fell ill.

to be attacked by disease. to be laid on a bed of sickness. to be confined to one's bed.

to be seriously ill. to be seriously ill. to be indisposed.

to have a severe attack of fever.

to be affected by disease in every limb; to

be paralysed. to have the gout.

the plague breaks out in the city.

man loses his senses, becomes unconscious.

the disease gets worse.

valetudo is a neutral term = state of health. sanitas = soundness of mind, reason—e.g. ad sanitatem reverti, to recover one's reason.

Note auribus, oculis, captum esse, to be deaf, blind; mente captum esse, to be mad.

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morbo absūmi (Sall. Iug. 5. 6) assidēre aegroto (Liv. 25. 26) aegrotum curare curationes aegrotum sanare (not curare) ex morbo convalescere (not reconvalescere) e gravi morbo recreari or se colligere melius ei factum est *valetudinem (morbum) excusare* ⁵⁵ (Liv. 6. <u>22. 7</u>)

to be carried off by a disease. to watch by a sick man's bedside. to treat as a patient (used of a doctor). method of treatment. to cure a patient. to recover from a disease. to recruit oneself after a severe illness.

he feels better. to excuse oneself on the score of health.

to excuse oneself on the score of health.

7. Sleep—Dreams

valetudinis excusatione uti

cubitum ire somno or quieti se tradere somnum capere non posse curae somnum mihi adimunt, dormire me I cannot sleep for anxiety. non sinunt somnum oculis meis non vidi (Fam. 7. 30) arte, graviter dormire (ex lassitudine) artus somnus aliquem complectitur (Rep. 6. 10)

somno captum, oppressum esse sopītum esse in lucem dormire somno solvi (e) somno excitare, dormientem excitare *e lecto* or *e cubīli surgere* per somnum, in somnis

per quietem, in quiete in somnis videre aliquid or speciem in somnis visus (mihi) sum videre species mihi dormienti oblata est somnium verum evādit (Div. 2. 53. 108) somnium interpretari somniorum interpres, coniector somniare de aliquo

to go to bed.

to lay oneself down to sleep to be unable to sleep.

I haven't had a wink of sleep. to sleep soundly (from fatigue). to fall fast asleep.

to be overcome by sleep. to be sound asleep.

to sleep on into the morning.

to awake.

to rouse, wake some one. to rise from one's bed, get up.

in a dream. in a dream.

to see something in a dream.

I dreamed I saw...

I saw a vision in my dreams. my dream is coming true. to explain a dream. an interpreter of dreams. to dream of a person.

8. Death

(de) vita decedere or merely decedere (ex) vita excedere, ex vita abire de vita exire, de (ex) vita migrare mortem (diem supremum) obire

to depart this life. to depart this life. to depart this life. to depart this life.

The comparative and superlative of aeger and aegrotus are not used in this connection, they are replaced by such phrases as vehementer, graviter aegrotare, morbus ingravescit, etc.

But se excusare alicui or apud aliquem (de or in aliqua re) = to excuse oneself to some one about a thing.

supremo vitae die on one's last day. to give up the ghost. *animam edere* or *efflare* to give up the ghost. extremum vitae spiritum edere animam agere to be at one's last gasp. mors immatura or praematura an untimely death. mature decedere to die young. to be cut off by sudden death. subita morte exstingui necessaria (opp. voluntaria) morte mori to die a natural death. to die a natural death. morbo perire, absūmi, consūmi debitum naturae reddere 66 (Nep. Reg. 1) to die a natural death. mortem sibi consciscere 57 to commit suicide. se vita privare to take one's own life. manus, vim sibi afferre to lay hands on oneself. to put an end to one's life. vitae finem facere talem vitae exitum (not finem) habuit (Nep. such was the end of... (used of a violent Eum. 13) death). mortem oppetere to meet death (by violence). mortem occumbere pro patria to die for one's country. to shed one's blood for one's fatherland. sanguinem suum pro patria effundere or profundere vitam profundere pro patria to sacrifice oneself for one's country. to sacrifice oneself for one's country. se morti offerre pro salute patriae dare venenum in pane to give a person poison in bread. venenum sumere, bibere to take poison. veneno sibi mortem consciscere to poison oneself. exhaurire to drain the cup of poison. poculum mortis (mortiferum) (Cluent. 11. 31)

9. Burial

publico, suo sumptu)
sepultura aliquem afficere
iusta facere, solvere alicui
supremo officio in aliquem fungi
funus alicui facere, ducere (Cluent. 9. 28)
funus alicuius exsequi

plagam extremam or mortiferam infligere

perii! actum est de me! (Ter. Ad. 3. 2. 26)

potestas vitae necisque

e or de medio tollere

exsequias alicuius funeris prosequi

supremis officiis aliquem prosequi (vid sect.

VI. 11., note *Prosequi...*)

mortuum in sepulcro condere

funere efferri or simply efferri (publice; to be interred (at the expense of the state, publico, suo sumptu) at one's own cost).

to bury a person.

to perform the last rites for a person. to perform the last rites for a person.

to carry out the funeral obsequies.

to attend a person's funeral. to attend a person's funeral.

power over life and death.

I'm undone! it's all up with me!

to inflict a death-blow.

to remove a person.

to perform the last offices of affection.

to entomb a dead body.

sua morte defungi or mori is late Latin, cf. <u>Inscr. Orell. 3453</u>, debitum naturae persolvit.

se interficere, se occidere, se necare are rare. During the classic period, when suicide was not common, ipse is often added—e.g. Crassum se ipsum interemisse (Cic. Scaur. 2. 16), Lucretia se ipsa interemit (Fin. 2. 20. 66); but later, when suicide had become frequent, se interemit; nonnulli semet interemerunt (Suet. Iul. 89), etc., occur commonly.

aliquem mortuum ⁵⁸ cremare (Sen. 23. 84)

pompa funebris

funus or exsequias celebrare ludos funebres alicui dare

oratio funebris

sepulturae honore carere iustis exsequiarum carere elogium in sepulcro incisum

sepulcro (Dat.) or in sepulcro hoc inscriptum

est

hic situs est...

aliquem in rogum imponere proiici inhumatum (in publicum) to burn a corpse.

a funeral procession.

to celebrate the obsequies.

to give funeral games in honour of a person.

a funeral oration.

to be deprived of the rites of burial. to be deprived of the rites of burial.

the epitaph.

this is the inscription on his tomb...

here lies...

to place on the funeral-pyre. to be cast out unburied.

V. Human Life; its various Relations and Conditions

1. Circumstance—Situation—Difficulty

res humanae or simply res haec est rerum humanarum condicio sic vita hominum est ita (ea lege, ea condicione) nati sumus

res externas or humanas despicere res humanas infra se positas arbitrari meliore (deteriore) condicione esse, uti

condicio ac fortuna hominum infimi generis res meae meliore loco, in meliore causa sunt

meliorem in statum redigor

aliquem in antiquum statum, in pristinum restituere

in tanta rerum (temporum) iniquitate res dubiae, perditae, afflictae in angustias adducere aliquem

in angustiis, difficultatibus, esse or versari angustiis premi, difficultatibus affici agitur praeclare, bene cum aliquo

res ita est, ita (sic) se habet eadem (longe alia) est huius rei ratio hoc longe aliter, secus est

human life.

that is the way of the world; such is life. that is the way of the world; such is life.

this is our natural tendency, our destiny; nature compels us.

to despise earthly things.

to feel superior to the affairs of life.

to find one's circumstances altered for the better (the worse).

the position of the lower classes.

my position is considerably improved; my prospects are brighter.

my position is considerably improved; my prospects are brighter.

to restore a man to his former position.

under such unfavourable circumstances.

a critical position; a hopeless state of affairs.

to place some one in an embarrassing position.

to be in a dilemma; in difficulties.

to be in a dilemma; in difficulties.

so-and-so is in a very satisfactory position; prospers.

the facts are these; the matter stands thus. the case is exactly similar (entirely different). this is quite another matter.

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[&]quot;Corpse" usually = corpus mortui or simply corpus. cadaver is a corpse which has begun to decompose.

For eulogy, panegyric, use laudatio funebris or simply laudatio, cf. Mil. 13. 33; Liv. 5. 50.

res (ita) fert

pro re (nata), pro tempore pro tempore et pro re

res eo or in eum locum deducta est, ut...

quo loco res tuae sunt?

eadem est causa mea or in eadem causa sum

si quid (humanitus) mihi accidat or acciderit quae cum ita sint

utcumque res ceciderit

circumstances make this necessary; the exigencies of the case are these.

according to circumstances. according to circumstances.

the matter has gone so far that...; the state

of affairs is such that... how are you getting on?

my circumstances have not altered.

if anything should happen to me; if I die.

under such circumstances. whatever happens; in any case.

2. Commencement—End—Result

initium capere; incipere ab aliqua re

initium facere, ducere, sumere (alicuius rei)

ab exiguis initiis proficisci

parare with Inf.

aggredi ad aliquid faciendum

incunabula 60 doctrinae finem facere alicuius rei

finem imponere, afferre, constituere alicui rei

ad finem aliquid adducere ad exitum aliquid perducere

finem habere

aliquid (bene, prospere) succedit or procedit

(opp. parum procedere, non succedere) eventum, exitum (felicem) habere

quorsum haec res cadet or evadet?

ad irritum redigere aliquid res aliter cecidit ac putaveram

quid illo fiet?

quid huic homini (also hoc homine) faciam?

to begin with a thing. to commence a thing.

to start from small beginnings.

to prepare to do a thing. to prepare to do a thing.

the origin, first beginnings of learning.

to finish, complete, fulfil, accomplish a thing. to finish, complete, fulfil, accomplish a thing. to finish, complete, fulfil, accomplish a thing. to finish, complete, fulfil, accomplish a thing.

to come to an end.

the matter progresses favourably, succeeds.

to turn out (well); to result (satisfactorily). what will be the issue, end, consequence of

the matter? to frustrate, nullify.

the result has surprised me; I was not

prepared for this development.

what will become of him? what am I to do with this fellow?

3. Cause—Motive—Origin

causam afferre iustis de ⁶¹ causis magnae (graves) necessariae causae

non sine causa quid causae fuit cur...?

causa posita est in aliqua re

to quote as a reason; give as excuse.

for valid reasons.

cogent, decisive reasons. on good grounds; reasonably.

how came it that ...?

the motive, cause, is to be found in...

⁶⁰ *incunabula* literally swaddling-clothes. *cunabula*, cradle, is not used in this metaphorical sense except in post-Augustan Latin.

Notice the order; so regularly *ea* and *qua de causa*; but *ob eam causam* not *eam ob causam*. For the meaning of *iustus* cf. xvi. 5 *bellum iustum* and xvi. 10a *praelium iustum*.

causa repetenda est ab aliqua re (not the motive, cause, is to be found in... quaerenda)

causam interponere or interserere

praetendere, praetexere aliquid causam idoneam nancisci per causam (with Gen.)

causae rerum et consecutiones

causae extrinsecus allatae (opp. in ipsa re extraneous causes. positae)

rerum causae aliae ex aliis nexae

ex parvis saepe magnarum rerum momenta pendent

ex aliqua re nasci, manare ab aliqua re proficisci

ex aliqua re redundare (in or ad aliquid)

utilitas efflorescit ex aliqua re

e fontibus haurire (opp. *rivulos consectari* or

fontes non videre)

haec ex eodem fonte fluunt, manant

fons et caput (vid. sect. III., note caput...)

multae causae me impulerunt ad aliquid or I was induced by several considerations to...

to interpose, put forward an argument, a

reason.

to make something an excuse, pretext.

to find a suitable pretext.

under the pretext, pretence of...

cause and effect.

concatenation, interdependence of causes. important results are often produced by

trivial causes.

to originate in, arise from. to originate in, arise from. to accrue in great abundance.

untold advantages arise from a thing.

to draw from the fountain-head.

these things have the same origin.

source, origin.

4. Regard—Importance—Influence—Power—Inclination

rationem habere alicuius rei

respicere 62 aliquid quo in genere multis rebus or locis

in utraque re

ceteris rebus (not cetera)

omni ex parte; in omni genere; omnibus

rebus

aliqua ex parte aliquatenus

magni (nullius) momenti esse momentum afferre ad aliquid

pertinere ad aliquid

hoc nihil ad sapientem pertinet hoc in sapientem non cadit

multum valere ad aliquid

multum afferre ad aliquid

magnam vim habere ad aliquid

positum, situm esse in aliqua re

to have regard for; take into consideration. to have regard for; take into consideration.

from this point of view; similarly. in many respects; in many points.

in both cases; whichever way you look at it.

as regards the rest; otherwise.

from every point of view; looked at in every light.

to a certain extent.

to a certain extent.

to be of great (no) importance.

to determine the issue of; to turn the scale.

to be essentially important to a thing.

a wise man is in no way affected by this.

it is incompatible with the nature of a wise man; the wise are superior to such things.

to contribute much towards...; to affect considerably; to be instrumental in...

to contribute much towards...; to affect considerably; to be instrumental in...

to have considerable influence on a question.

to depend upon a thing.

⁶² But *respicere ad aliquid (aliquem)* = to look round at an object.

contineri aliqua re 63 consistere in aliqua re pendēre ex aliqua re in te omnia sunt in ea re omnia vertuntur constare ex aliqua re cernitur (in) aliqua re (not ex aliqua re) in manu, in potestate alicuius situm, positum

penes aliquem esse res integra 64 est

res mihi integra est mihi non est integrum, ut... integrum (causam integram) sibi reservare

penes te arbitrium huius rei est arbitrio alicuius omnia permittere

omnium rerum arbitrium alicui permittere

arbitratu, arbitrio tuo

to depend upon a thing. to depend upon a thing. to depend upon a thing. everything depends on you.

all depends on this; this is the decisive point.

to be composed of; to consist of.

it is evident from... to be in a person's power.

to be in a person's power.

the matter is still undecided; it is an open

question.

I have not yet committed myself. it is no longer in my power.

to leave the question open; to refuse to commit oneself.

the decision of the question rests with you. to put the matter entirely in some one's

hands.

to put the matter entirely in some one's

hands.

just as you wish.

5. Opportunity—Possibility—Occasion—Chance

occasio datur, offertur occasione data, oblata per occasionem

quotienscunque occasio oblata est; omnibus on every occasion; at every opportunity.

or *ad aliquid faciendum*

possit...

potestatem, with Gen. gerund.

occasionem nancisci occasione uti

occasionem praetermittere, (through carelessness), omittere (deliberately), dimittere (through

a favourable ⁶⁵ opportunity presents itself. when occasion offers; as opportunity occurs. when occasion offers; as opportunity occurs.

occasionem alicui dare, praebere alicuius rei to give a man the opportunity of doing a thing.

facultatem alicui dare alicuius rei or ut to give a man the opportunity of doing a

copiam alicui dare, facere to give a man the opportunity of doing a thina.

> to get, meet with, a favourable opportunity. to make use of, avail oneself of an opportunity.

amittere to lose, let slip an opportunity.

contineri aliqua re also means (1) to be bounded by..., e.g. oceano; (2) to be limited, restricted to, e.g. moenibus.

The proper meaning of *integer* (*in-TAG, tango*) is untouched, unsullied.

Not occasio opportuna, bona, pulchra, the notion "favourable" being contained in the word itself. We find, however, occasio praeclara, ampla, tanta, not unfrequently.

Notice potestatem alicui pugnandi facere, to offer battle, and potestatem sui facere alicui, (1) to give opportunity of battle, and also (2) to grant an audience to (cf. sui conveniendi potestatem facere).

indifference) occasioni deesse

occasionem arripere

facultatem, potestatem eripere, alicui

adimere

nulla est facultas alicuius rei

locum dare suspicioni

ansas dare ad reprehendum, reprehensionis

ansam habere reprehensionis adduci aliqua re (ad aliquid or ut...) nescio quo casu (with Indic.) temere et fortuito; forte (et) temere to neglect an opportunity.

to seize an opportunity.

to deprive a man of the chance of doing a thina.

no opportunity of carrying out an object presents itself.

to give ground for suspicion.

to give occasion for blame; to challenge criticism.

to contain, afford matter for criticism. to be induced by a consideration. by some chance or other. quite accidentally, fortuitously.

6. Success—Good Fortune

fortuna secunda uti

fortunae favore or prospero flatu fortunae to be favoured by Fortune; to bask in uti (vid. sect. VI. 8., note uti...)

fortunam fautricem nancisci

fortuna caecos homines efficit, animos Fortune makes men shortsighted, infatuates

occaecat fortunam tentare, experiri

fortunam periclitari (periculum facere)

fortunae se committere fortunam in manibus habere fortunam ex manibus dimittere fortuna commutatur, se inclinat

ludibrium fortunae

is, quem fortuna complexa est

a fortuna desertum, derelictum esse

fortuna aliquem effert

rebus secundis efferri

ad felicitatem (magnus) cumulus accedit ex his crowning happiness is produced by a

aliqua re

aliquid felicitatis cumulum affert

aliquid felicitatem magno cumulo auget

in rebus prosperis et ad voluntatem when life runs smoothly. fluentibus

to be fortunate, lucky.

Fortune's smiles.

to be favoured by Fortune; to bask in Fortune's smiles.

them.

to try one's luck.

to run a risk; to tempt Providence.

to trust to luck.

to have success in one's grasp.

to let success slip through one's fingers.

luck is changing, waning. the plaything of Fortune. Fortune's favourite.

to be abandoned by good luck.

Fortune exalts a man, makes him

conspicuous.

to be puffed up by success; to be made

arrogant by prosperity.

thing; the culminating point of his felicity

his crowning happiness is produced by a thing; the culminating point of his felicity

his crowning happiness is produced by a thing; the culminating point of his felicity

In the same way deesse officio, to leave one's duties undone; d. muneri, to neglect the claims of one's vocation; d. rei publicae, to be careless of state interests, to be unpatriotic; d. sibi, not to do one's best.

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beata vita, beate vivere, beatum esse 68 ad bene beateque vivendum peropportune accidit, quod

happiness, bliss. for a life of perfect happiness. it is most fortunate that...

7. Misfortune—Fate—Ruin

fortuna adversa res adversae, afflictae, perditae in calamitatem incidere calamitatem accipere, subire nihil calamitatis (in vita) videre calamitatem haurire omnes labores exanclare calamitatem, pestem inferre alicui calamitatibus affligi calamitatibus obrui calamitatibus defungi calamitate doctus conflictari (cum) adversa fortuna in malis iacere malis urgeri fortunae vicissitudines ancipites et varii casus

multis casibus iactari ad omnes casus subsidia comparare varia fortuna uti

multis iniquitatibus exerceri 70 fortunae telis propositum esse fortunae obiectum esse ad iniurias fortunae expositum esse fortunae cedere aliquem affligere, perdere, pessumdare, in to bring a man to ruin; to destroy. praeceps dare praecipitem agi, ire ad exitium vocari

sub varios incertosque casus subiectum esse

misfortune, adversity. misfortune, adversity. to be overtaken by calamity.

to live a life free from all misfortune.

to drain the cup of sorrow. 69 to drain the cup of sorrow.

to suffer mishap.

to bring mishap, ruin on a person. to be the victim of misfortune. to be overwhelmed with misfortune. to come to the end of one's troubles.

schooled by adversity. to struggle with adversity.

to be broken down by misfortune. to be hard pressed by misfortune.

the vicissitudes of fortune.

the changes and chances of this life.

to have to submit to the uncertainties of fortune; to be subject to Fortune's caprice.

to experience the ups and downs of life.

to be prepared for all that may come.

to experience the vicissitudes of fortune; to have a chequered career.

to be severely tried by misfortune.

to be exposed to the assaults of fate.

to be abandoned to fate.

to be a victim of the malice of Fortune.

to acquiesce in one's fate.

to be ruined, undone. to be ruined, undone.

beatitas and beatitudo are used by Cicero in one passage only (De Nat. Deorum, 1. 34. 95), but merely as a linguistic experiment.

In Latin metaphor the verb only, as a rule, is sufficient to express the metaphorical meaning—e.g. amicitiam iungere cum aliquo, to be bound by the bands of affection to any one; religionem labefactare, to undermine the very foundations of belief; bellum exstinguere, to extinguish the torch of war; cuncta bello ardent, the fires of war are raging all around; libido consedit, the storm of passion has ceased; animum pellere, to strike the heart-strings; vetustas monumenta exederat, the tooth of time had eaten away the monuments.

 $^{^{70}}$ The first meaning of *exercere* is to keep in motion, give no rest to. Then, metaphorically, to keep busy, to harass-e.g. fortuna aliquem vehementer exercet. Lastly, exercere is used to express the main activity in any branch of industry, thus, exercere agros, to farm; metalla, to carry on a mining industry; navem, to fit out ships, be a shipowner; vectigalia, to levy, collect taxes, used specially of the *publicani*, *qui exercet iudicium*, the presiding judge (*praetor*).

ad interitum ruere to be ruined, undone. in perniciem incurrere to be ruined, undone.

pestem alicui (in aliquem) machinari to compass, devise a man's overthrow, ruin. perniciem (exitium) alicui afferre, moliri, to compass, devise a man's overthrow, ruin.

parare

ab exitio, ab interitu aliquem vindicare to rescue from destruction.

8. Danger—Risk—Safety

in periculo esse or *versari* to be in danger.

res in summo discrimine versatur the position is very critical. in vitae discrimine versari to be in peril of one's life.

in pericula incidere, incurrere to find oneself in a hazardous position.

pericula alicui impendent, imminent dangers threaten a man.

pericula in or ad aliquem redundant many dangers hem a person in; one meets

new risks at every turn.

pericula subire, adire, suscipere to incur danger, risk.

periculis se offere to expose oneself to peril.

salutem, vitam suam in discrimen offerre to risk one's life.

(not exponere)

aliquem, aliquid in periculum (discrimen) to endanger, imperil a person or thing.

adducere, vocare

alicui periculum creare, conflare to endanger, imperil a person or thing.

in periculum capitis, in discrimen vitae se to recklessly hazard one's life.

inferre

salus, caput, vita alicuius agitur, periclitatur, a man's life is at stake, is in very great

in discrimine est or *versatur* danger.

in ipso periculi discrimine aliquem ex periculo eripere, servare at the critical moment. to rescue from peril.

nullum periculum recusare pro to avoid no risk in order to...

periculis perfungi to surmount dangers.
periculum facere alicuius rei to make trial of; to risk.

periculum hostis facere to try one's strength with the enemy; to try issue of battle.

issue of Dallie

res ad extremum casum perducta est affairs are desperate; we are reduced to extremeties.

extremetic

ad extrema perventum est affairs are desperate; we are reduced to

extremeties.

in tuto esse to be in a position of safety.

in tuto collocare aliquid to ensure the safety of a thing.

9. Assistance—Deliverance—Consolation

auxilium, opem, salutem ferre alicui to bring aid to; to rescue. auxilio alicui venire to come to assist any one. alicuius opem implorare to implore a person's help.

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vocare helps to form several phrases—e.g. in invidiam, in suspicionem, in dubium, ad exitium, in periculum vocare. It is used in the passive to express periphrastically the passive of verbs which have only an active voice—e.g. in invidiam vocari, to become unpopular, be hated, invideor not being used. Cf. in invidiam venire.

confugere ad aliquem or ad opem, ad fidem to fly to some one for refuge. alicuius

ad extremum auxilium descendere 12

auxilium praesens 73

adesse alicui or alicuius rebus (opp. deesse)

salutem alicui afferre

saluti suae consulere, prospicere

suis rebus or sibi consulere

salutem expedire solacium praebere nihil habere consolationis hoc solacio frui, uti consolari aliquem de aliqua re

consolari dolorem alicuius consolari aliquem in miseriis hoc (illo) solacio me consōlor haec (illa) res me consolatur

to be reduced to one's last resource.

prompt assistance.

to assist, stand by a person. to deliver, rescue a person.

to take measures for one's safety; to look after one's own interests.

to take measures for one's safety; to look after one's own interests.

to effect a person's deliverance.

to comfort.

to afford no consolation.

to solace oneself with the thought...

to comfort a man in a matter; to condole with him.

to soothe grief.

to comfort in misfortune. I console myself with... I console myself with...

10. Riches—Want—Poverty

divitiis, copiis abundare magnas opes habere

opibus maxime florere

omnibus opibus circumfluere

fortunis maximis ornatum esse in omnium rerum abundantia vivere aliquem ex paupere divitem facere inopia alicuius rei laborare, premi

ad egestatem, ad inopiam (summam to be reduced to (abject) poverty.

omnium rerum) redigi

vitam inopem sustentare, tolerare

in egestate esse, versari vitam in egestate degere

in summa egestate or mendicitate esse

stipem colligere

stipem (pecuniam) conferre

to be rich, wealthy.

to be very rich; to be in a position of

affluence.

to be very rich; to be in a position of

affluence.

to be very rich; to be in a position of

affluence.

to be in the enjoyment of a large fortune.

to live in great affluence.

to raise a man from poverty to wealth.

to suffer from want of a thing.

to earn a precarious livelihood.

to live in poverty, destitution.

to live in poverty, destitution.

to be entirely destitute; to be a beggar.

to beg alms.

to contribute alms.

Similarly *descendere* is frequently used of consenting unwillingly to a thing, condescending. Cf. vi. 9 ad fin. and xvi. 9.

Notice too poena praesens, instant punishment; pecunia praesens, ready money; medicina praesens, efficacious remedy; deus praesens, a propitious deity; in rem praesentem venire, to go to the very spot to make a closer examination.

11. Utility—Advantage—Harm—Disadvantage

commoda alicuius tueri

quid attinet? with Infin.

cui bono?

damno affici

damnum ferre

reparare)

res repetere

incommodis mederi

meae rationes ita tulerunt

fructus ex hac re redundant in or ad me

aliquid ad meum fructum redundat

detrimentum capere, accipere, facere

damnum compensare cum aliqua re

damnum (opp. lucrum) facere

iacturam ⁷⁶ alicuius rei facere

damnum inferre, afferre alicui

incommodo afficere aliquem

to be of use. usui or ex usu esse utilitatem afferre, praebere to be serviceable.

multum (nihil) ad communem utilitatem to considerably (in no way) further the afferre common good.

aliquid in usum suum conferre to employ in the furtherance of one's interests.

omnia ad suam utilitatem referre consider one's own advantage in everything.

rationibus alicuius prospicere or consulere to look after, quard a person's interests, (opp. officere, obstare, adversari) welfare.

commodis alicuius servire to look after, guard a person's interests, welfare.

> to look after, guard a person's interests, welfare.

my interests demanded it. fructum (uberrimum) capere, percipere, consequi ex aliqua re 74

to derive (great) profit, advantage from a thing.

(great) advantage accrues to me from this.

I am benefited by a thing.

what is the use of?

who gets the advantage from this? who is the interested party?

to suffer loss, harm, damage. 75 to suffer loss, harm, damage. to suffer loss, harm, damage. to throw away, sacrifice.

to do harm to, injure any one. to know how to endure calamity. to inconvenience, injure a person.

to relieve a difficulty.

damnum or detrimentum sarcire (not to make good, repair a loss or injury.

to balance a loss by anything. to demand restitution, satisfaction. to give restitution, satisfaction.

res restituere

12. Goodwill—Kindness—Inclination—Favour

⁷⁴ Also *fructum alicuius rei capere, percipere, ferre, consequi ex aliqua re*—e.g. *virtutis fructus ex re* publica (magnos, laetos, uberes) capere = to be handsomely rewarded by the state for one's high

Notice too calamitatem, cladem, incommodum accipere, to suffer mishap, reverse, inconvenience; naufragium facere, to be shipwrecked.

damnum (opp. lucrum) = loss, especially of worldly possessions; detrimentum (opp. emolumentum) = harm inflicted by others; fraus = deceitful injury; iactura (properly "throwing overboard") = the intentional sacrifice of something valuable in order either to avert injury or to gain some greater advantage. "Harmful" = inutilis, qui nocet, etc., not noxius, which is only used absolutely—e.g. homo noxius, the offender, evildoer.

benevolo animo esse in aliquem benevolentiam habere erga aliquem benevolentiam, favorem, voluntatem alicuius to find favour with some one; to get into *sibi conciliare* or *colligere* (ex aliqua re) benevolentiam alicui praestare, in aliquem conferre

benevolentia aliquem complecti or prosequi gratiosum esse alicui or apud aliquem

in gratia esse apud aliquem

alicui morem gerere, obsequi

multum valere gratia apud aliquem

florere gratia alicuius

gratiam inire ab aliquoor apud aliquem in gratiam alicuius venire gratiam alicuius sibi quaerere, sequi, more strongly *aucupari* studere, favere alicui studiosum esse alicuius propenso animo, studio esse or propensa voluntate esse in aliquem (opp. averso animo esse ab aliquo)

alicuius causa 77 *velle* or *cupere* gratum (gratissimum) alicui facere se conformare, se accommodare ad alicuius voluntatem alicuius voluntati morem gerere se convertere, converti ad alicuius nutum "8

totum se fingere et accommodare ad alicuius to be at the beck and call of another; to be arbitrium et nutum *voluntatem*or animum alicuius a abalienare, aliquem a se abalienare or alienare

to be well-disposed towards...

to be well-disposed towards...

their good graces.

to show kindness to...

to show kindness to...

to be popular with; to stand well with a person.

to be popular with; to stand well with a person.

to be highly favoured by; to be influential with...

to be highly favoured by; to be influential with...

to gain a person's esteem, friendship.

to gain a person's esteem, friendship.

to court a person's favour; to ingratiate oneself with...

to look favourably upon; to support.

to look favourably upon; to support.

to look favourably upon; to support.

to comply with a person's wishes; to humour.

to be favourably disposed towards.

to do any one a (great) favour.

to accomodate oneself to another's wishes.

to accomodate oneself to another's wishes.

to take one's directions from another; to obey him in everything.

his creature.

se to become estranged, alienated from some one.

13. Benefit—Gratitude—Recompense

beneficium alicui dare, tribuere beneficio aliquem afficere, ornare beneficia in aliquem conferre beneficiis aliquem obstringere, obligare, devincire

to do any one a service or kindness. to do any one a service or kindness.

to heap benefits upon...

to lay any one under an obligation by kind treatment.

Probably originally *omnia alicuius causa velle* = to wish everything (favourable) in some one's behalf.

But se convertere ad aliquem = either (1) to approach with hostile intention, or (2) to turn to some one for sympathy or assistance.

beneficium *reddere* to (richly) recompense a kindness or service. remunerari

(cumulate) gratus (opp. ingratus) animus 79

gratiam alicui debere to owe gratitude to; to be under an

gratitude.

obligation to a person.

gratiam alicui habere to feel gratitude (in one's heart). gratiam alicui referre (meritam, debitam) pro to show gratitude (in one's acts).

aliaua re

gratias alicui agere pro aliqua re to thank a person (in words). grates agere (dis immortalibus) to give thanks to heaven.

gratiam mereri to merit thanks; to do a thankworthy action. par pari referre to return like for like. paria paribus respondere to return like for like.

bonam (praeclaram) gratiam referre reward amply: give manifold to

recompense for. to return evil for good. benefacta maleficiis pensare maleficia benefactis remunerari to return good for evil. pro maleficiis beneficia reddere to return good for evil.

14. Merit—Value—Reward

bene, praeclare (melius, optime) mereri 80 de to deserve well at some one's hands; to do a service to...

male mereri de aliquo to deserve ill of a person; to treat badly.

what a man merits at another's hands. meritum alicuius in or erga aliquem nullo meo merito I had not deserved it.

ex, pro merito according to a man's deserts.

multum (aliquid) alicui rei tribuere to consider of importance; to set much

(some) store by a thing. multum alicui tribuere to value, esteem a person. to remunerate (handsomely). maximis) aliquem

praemiis (amplissimis, afficere 81

to reward a man according to his deserts. meritum praemium alicui persolvere (to encourage) by offering a reward.

praemium exponere or proponere

praemium ponere

palmam deferre, dare alicui palmam ferre, auferre pacta merces alicuius rei

to be hired, suborned.

mercede conductum esse

mereri is a middle verb, and consequently always has an adverb with it.

animus is used similarly in several periphrases to express abstract qualities—e.g. animus inexorabilis = inflexibility, severity; animus implacabilis = implacability; animus (fides) venalis = venality. Cf. simplices mores, simplex natura, ratio, genus = simplicity (simplicitas is post-Augustan and usually = frankness, candour). immemor ingenium = forgetfulness (oblivio in this sense is not classical).

to offer a prize (for the winner).

the stipulated reward for anything.

to award the prize to...

to win the prize.

Notice the numerous phrases of which afficere is a part—e.g. afficere aliquem admiratione, beneficio, exilio, honore, iniuria, laude, poena, supplicio. Especially important is its passive use—e.g. affici admiratione, to admire; gaudio, voluptate, to rejoice, be pleased; dolore, to be pained, vexed; poena, to suffer punishment.

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15. Requests—Wishes—Commissions—Orders

orare et obsecrare aliquem to entreat earnestly; to make urgent

requests.

magno opere, vehementer, etiam atque to entreat earnestly; to make urgent

etiam rogare aliquem requests.

precibus aliquem fatigare to importune with petitions. supplicibus verbis orare to crave humbly; to supplicate.

precibus obsequi

alicui petenti satisfacere, non deesse

magnis (infimis) precibus moveri to be influenced by, to yield to urgent

(abject) entreaty.

negare, more strongly denegare alicui aliquid

petenti alicui negare aliquid repudiare, aspernari preces alicuius nihil tibi a me postulanti recusabo

aliquid ab aliquo impetrare optata mihi contingunt

voluntati alicuius satisfacere, obsequi

ex sententia

aliquid optimis ominibus prosequi (vid. sect.

VI. 11., note *Prosequi...*)

bene id tibi vertat!

mandatum, negotium alicui dare

negotium ad aliquem deferre

mandatum exsequi, persequi, conficere

iussa (usually only in plur.), imperata facere

to grant a request.

to accede to a man's petitions.

to refuse, reject a request. to refuse, reject a request.

to refuse, reject a request. I will refuse you nothing.

to gain one's point with any one.

my wishes are being fulfilled. to satisfy a person's wishes.

as one would wish; to one's mind.

to wish prosperity to an undertaking.

I wish you all success in the matter.

to entrust a matter to a person; to

commission.

entrust a matter to a person; to

commission.

to execute a commission.

to carry out orders

16. Friendship—Enmity—Reconciliation (cf. xii. 8)

amicitiam cum aliquo jungere, facere, inire, to form a friendship with any one.

contrahere

amicitiam colere uti aliquo amico

est or intercedit mihi cum aliquo amicitia sunt or intercedunt mihi cum aliquo I am on bad terms with a person.

inimicitiae 82

uti aliquo familiariter

artissimo amicitiae vinculo or summa familiaritate cum aliquo coniunctum esse

vetustate amicitiae coniunctum esse

amicitiam alicuius appetere in amicitiam alicuius recipi

ad alicuius amicitiam se conferre, se to gain some one's friendship; to become applicare

aliquem (tertium) ad (in) amicitiam ascribere to admit another into the circle of one's

to keep up, foster a connection.

to be friendly with any one. I am on good terms with a person.

to be on very intimate terms with...

to be bound by the closest ties of friendship.

to be very old friends.

to court a person's friendship.

to gain some one's friendship; to become

intimate with.

intimate with.

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 $^{^{\}rm 82}$ The singular $\it inimicitia$ is only used to express the abstract idea "enmity".

intimates.

amicitiam renuntiare to renounce, give up a friendship. to renounce, give up a friendship. amicitiam dissuere, dissolvere, praecīdere

amicissimus meus or mihi my best friend.

homo intimus, familiarissimus mihi my most intimate acquaintance.

inimicitias gerere, habere, exercere cum to be at enmity with a man.

aliquo

inimicitias cum aliquo suscipere to make a person one's enemy. to lay aside one's differences. inimicitias deponere

aegui inigui friend and foe.

placare aliquem alicui or in aliquem to reconcile two people; to be a mediator. *reconciliare alicuius animum* or simply

aliquem alicui

in gratiam aliquem cum aliquo reducere

in gratiam cum aliquo redire

sibi aliquem, alicuius animum reconciliare or to be reconciled; to make up a quarrel.

reconciliari alicui

aliauem

to reconcile two people; to be a mediator.

to reconcile two people; to be a mediator.

to be reconciled; to make up a quarrel.

17. Authority—Dignity (cf. xiv. 3)

magna auctoritate esse to possess great authority; to be an

influential person.

auctoritate valere or florere to possess great authority; be an

influential person.

magna auctoritas est in aliquo to possess great authority; to be an

influential person.

multum auctoritate valere, posse apud to have great influence with a person; to

have considerable weight.

to have great influence with a person; to magna auctoritas alicuius est apud aliquem

have considerable weight.

alicuius auctoritas multum valet apud to have great influence with a person; to

have considerable weight. aliquem

auctoritatem or dignitatem sibi conciliare, to gain dignity; to make oneself a person of

consequence. parare

ad summam auctoritatem pervenire auctoritatem alicuius amplificare (opp.

imminuere, minuere)

auctoritati, dignitati alicuius illudere

dignitas est summa in aliquo summa dignitate praeditum esse

aliquid alienum (a) dignitate sua or merely a to consider a thing beneath one's dignity.

aliquid infra se ducere or infra se positum to consider a thing beneath one's dignity. arbitrari

to attain to the highest eminence. to increase a person's dignity.

to insult a person's dignity. to be in a dignified position.

to be in a dignified position.

18. Praise—Approval—Blame—Reproach

laudem tribuere, impertire alicui to praise, extol, commend a person. laude afficere aliquem to praise, extol, commend a person.

(maximis, summis) laudibus efferre aliquem to praise, extol, commend a person.

or *aliquid*

eximia laude ornare aliquem omni laude cumulare aliquem

laudibus aliquem (aliquid) in caelum ferre,

efferre, tollere

alicuius laudes praedicare aliquem beatum praedicare omnium undique laudem colligere maximam ab omnibus laudem adipisci

aliquid laudi alicui ducere, dare

aliquem coram, in os or praesentem laudare

recte, bene fecisti quod...

res mihi probatur res a me probatur

hoc in te reprehendo (not ob eam rem)

vituperationem subire

in vituperationem, reprehensionem cadere,

incidere, venire

exprobrare alicui aliquid

aliquid alicui crimini dare, vertere

conqueri, expostulare cum aliquo de aliqua to expostulate with a person about a thing.

to praise, extol, commend a person.

to overwhelm with eulogy. to extol, laud to the skies.

to spread a person's praises.

to consider happy.

to win golden opinions from every one. to win golden opinions from every one. to consider a thing creditable to a man.

to praise a man to his face.

you were right in...; you did right to... a thing meets with my approval. I express my approval of a thing.

I blame this in you; I censure you for this. to suffer reproof; to be criticised, blamed. to suffer reproof; to be criticised, blamed.

to reproach a person with... to reproach a person with...

19. Rumour—Gossip—News—Mention

rumor, fama, sermo est or manat

rumor, fama viget fama serpit (per urbem) rumor increbrescit rumorem spargere famam dissipare

dubii rumores afferuntur ad nos auditione et fama accepisse aliquid

fando aliquid audivisse ex eo audivi, cum diceret vulgo dicitur, pervulgatum est

in ore omnium or omnibus (hominum or hominibus, but only mihi, tibi, etc.) esse

per omnium ora ferri

in ore habere aliquid (Fam. 6. 18. 5)

efferre or edere aliquid in vulgus

foras efferri, palam fieri, percrebrescere, divulgari, in medium proferri, exire,

emanare

in sermonem hominum venire

in ora vulgi abire fabulam fieri

nuntio allato or accepto

Romam nuntiatum est, allatum est

certiorem facere aliquem (alicuius rei or de to inform a person.

aliqua re)

report says; people say. a rumour is prevalent.

a report is spreading imperceptibly.

a report, an impression is gaining ground.

to spread a rumour. to spread a rumour. vague rumours reach us. to know from hearsay. to know from hearsay. I heard him say... every one says.

to be in every one's mouth.

to be in every one's mouth.

to harp on a thing, be always talking of it.

to divulge, make public.

to become known, become a topic of common conversation (used of things).

to be a subject for gossip. to be a subject for gossip.

to be the talk of the town, a scandal.

on receiving the news. news reached Rome.

mentionem facere alicuius rei or de aliqua re to mention a thing.

mentionem inicere de aliqua re or Acc. c. to mention a thing incidentally, casually.

in mentionem alicuius rei incidere mentio alicuius rei incidit

to mention a thing incidentally, casually. to mention a thing incidentally, casually.

20. Fame—Reputation

gloriam, famam sibi comparare gloriam (immortalem) consequi, adipisci gloriae, laudi esse

laudem afferre

gloria, laude florere summa gloria florere

clarum fieri, nobilitari, illustrari (not the postclassical *clarescere* or *inclarescere* gloriam colligere, in summam gloriam venire aliquem immortali gloria afficere

aliquem sempiternae gloriae commendare

immortalitatem consequi, adipisci, sibi parere aloria duci laudis studio trahi

laudem, gloriam quaerere stimulis gloriae concitari

gloriae, laudis cupiditate incensum esse, flagrare

de gloria, fama alicuius detrahere

alicuius gloriae or simply alicui obtrectare

alicuius famam, laudem imminuere

obscurare alicuius gloriam, laudem, famam 84 (not *obscurare aliquem*) famae servire, consulere

famam ante collectam tueri, conservare bene, male audire (ab aliquo)

bona, mala existimatio est de aliquo

to gain distinction. to win (undying) fame.

to confer distinction on a person; to redound to his credit.

to confer distinction on a person; to redound to his credit.

to be very famous, illustrious.

to have reached the highest pinnacle of eminence.

to become famous, distinguish oneself.

to become famous, distinguish oneself.

to confer undying fame on, immortalise some one.

to confer undying fame on, immortalise some one.

to attain eternal renown.

to be guided by ambition.

to be guided by ambition.

to be guided by ambition.

to be spurred on by ambition.

to be consumed by the fires of ambition.

to detract from a person's reputation, wilfully underestimate a person.

to detract from a person's reputation, wilfully underestimate a person.

to detract from a person's reputation, wilfully underestimate a person.

to render obscure, eclipse a person.

to have regard for one's good name.

to live up to one's reputation.

to have a good or bad reputation, be spoken well, ill of.

to have a good or bad reputation, be spoken well, ill of.

In the same way, to improve a man, alicuius mores corrigere (not aliquem c.); to understand some one, alicuius orationem or quid dicat intellegere.

Not commemorare, the fundamental meaning of which is "to make a person mindful of...," and implies an emphatic reference to a definite point.

famam crudelitatis subire (Catil. 4. 6. 12) infamiam alicui inferre, aspergere

infamem facere aliquem

magnam sui famam relinquere opinionem virtutis habere existimatio⁸⁵ hominum, omnium to gain the reputation of cruelty.

to damage a person's character, bring him into bad odour.

to damage a person's character, bring him into bad odour.

to leave a great reputation behind one.

to have the reputation of virtue.

the common opinion, the general idea.

21. Honour—Disgrace—Ignominy

esse in honore apud aliquem honorem alicui habere, tribuere

aliquem honore afficere, augere, ornare, prosequi (vid. sect. VI. 11., Prosequi...)

aliquem cupiditate honorum inflammare (or aliquem cupiditatem honorum ad inflammare)

honores concupiscere (opp. aspernari)

honoris causa aliquem nominare or appellare

statuam alicui ponere, constituere

aliquem colere et observare (Att. 2. 19)

aliquem ignominia afficere, notare

alicui ignominiam inurere

infamiam concipere, subire, sibi conflare vitae splendori(em) maculas(is) aspergere

notam turpitudinis alicui or vitae alicuius inurere

ignominiam non ferre

maculam (conceptam) delere, eluere

to be honoured, esteemed by some one.

to honour, show respect for, a person.

to honour, show respect for, a person.

to kindle ambition in some one's mind.

to aspire to dignity, high honours.

to speak of some one respectfully.

to set up a statue in some one's honour.

to pay respect to, be courteous to a person.

to inflict an indignity upon, insult a person.

to inflict an indignity upon, insult a person.

to incur ignominy.

to sully one's fair fame.

to injure a man's character, tarnish his honour.

to chafe under an indignity, repudiate it.

to blot out a reproach.

22. Effort—Industry—Labour—Exertion

studiose (diligenter, enixe, sedulo, maxime) to take great pains in order to... dare operam, ut...

egregiam operam (multum, plus etc. operae) to expend great labour on a thing. dare alicui rei

operam alicui rei tribuere, in aliquid conferre operam (laborem, curam) in or ad aliquid to expend great labour on a thing. impendere

multum operae ac laboris consumere in to exert oneself very energetically in a aliqua re

studium, industriam (not collocare, ponere in aliqua re incumbere in (ad) aliquid

to expend great labour on a thing.

matter.

diligentiam) to apply oneself zealously, diligently to a

to be energetic about, throw one's heart into a thing.

existimatio has two uses: (1) active—opinion held by others, criticism; (2) passive—reputation, character, usually in a good sense, consequently = good reputation without the addition of bona, *integra*, etc.

opus ⁸⁶ facere (De Senect. 7. 24) to do work (especially agricultural). to take a task in hand, engage upon it. opus aggredi ad opus faciendum accedere to take a task in hand, engage upon it. res est multi laboris et sudoris the matter involves much labour and fatigue. desudare et elaborare in aliqua re (De to exert oneself very considerably in a Senect. 11. 38) matter. labori, operae non parcere to spare no pains. to work without intermission. laborem non intermittere nullum tempus a labore intermittere not to leave off work for an instant. to work by night, burn the midnight oil. *lucubrare* (Liv. 1. 57) inanem laborem suscipere to lose one's labour. operam (et oleum) perdere or frustra to lose one's labour. consumere *rem actam* or simply *actum agere* (proverb.) to have all one's trouble for nothing. labore supersedēre (itineris) (Fam. 4. 2. 4) to spare oneself the trouble of the voyage. patiens laboris capable of exertion. fugiens laboris lazy. operae pretium est (c. Inf.) it is worth while. acti labores iucundi (proverb.) rest after toil is sweet. contentionem adhibere to exert oneself. omnes nervos 87 in aliqua re contendere to strain every nerve, do one's utmost in a omnibus viribusor nervis contendere, ut to strain every nerve, do one's utmost in a matter. omni ope atque opera or omni virium to strain every nerve, do one's utmost in a contentione eniti, ut matter. contendere et laborare, ut to strain every nerve, do one's utmost in a

23. Business—Leisure—Inactivity—Idleness

negotium suscipere negotium obire, exsequi negotium conficere, expedire, transigere negotia agere, gerere multis negotiis implicatum, districtum, distentum, obrutum esse

pro viribus eniti et laborare, ut

to undertake an affair.

matter.

to execute, manage a business, undertaking.

to strain every nerve, do one's utmost in a

to arrange, settle a matter.

to be occupied with business, busy.

to be involved in many undertakings; to be much occupied, embarrassed, overwhelmed by business-claims.

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opus always means the concrete work on which one is engaged; *labor* is the trouble, fatigue, resulting from effort; *opera* is the voluntary effort, the trouble spent on an object. Thus *laborare* = not simply to work, but to work energetically, with exertion and consequent fatigue; *operari*, to be busy with a thing. Terence thus distinguishes *opus* and *opera*: *quod in opere faciundo operae consumis tuae*. Cf. <u>Verg. Aen. 1. 455</u> *operumque laborem miratur* = the trouble with such huge works must have cost.

nervi properly = sinews, muscles, not nerves the existence of which was unknown to the ancients. Metaphorically nervi denotes not only strength in general but also specially—(1) vital power, elasticity, e.g. omnes nervos virtutis elidere (Tusc. 2. 11. 27), incîdere, to paralyse the strength of virtue; (2) motive power, mainspring, essence, of a thing, e.g. vectigalia nervi rei publicae sunt (Imp. Pomp. 7. 17), nervi belli pecunia (Phil. 5. 2. 15).

negotiis vacare occupatum esse in aliqua re intentum esse alicui rei negotium alicui facessere (Fam. 3. 10. 1) magnum negotium est c. Inf. nullo negotio otiosum esse *in otio esse* or *vivere* otium habere otio frui otio abundare otium sequi, amplexari

otiosum tempus consumere in aliqua re otio abūti sor otium ad suum usum transferre (in) otio languere et hebescere otio diffluere desidiae et languori se dedere

to be free from business. to be engaged upon a matter. to be engaged upon a matter.

to give a person trouble, inconvenience him.

it is a great undertaking to...

without any trouble. to be at leisure. to be at leisure. to be at leisure. to be at leisure.

to have abundance of leisure. to be a lover of ease, leisure.

to spend one's leisure hours on an object. to use up, make full use of one's spare time.

to grow slack with inactivity, stagnate. to grow slack with inactivity, stagnate. to abandon oneself to inactivity and apathy. to abandon oneself to inactivity and apathy. to pass one's life in luxury and idleness.

24. Pleasure—Recreation

ignaviae 89 et socordiae se dare

per luxum et ignaviam aetatem agere

voluptatem ex aliqua re capere or percipere voluptate perfundi voluptatibus frui voluptates haurire se totum voluptatibus dedere, tradere

homo voluptarius (Tusc. 2. 7. 18) voluptatis illecebris deleniri

voluptatis blanditiis corrumpi

in voluptates se mergere animum a voluptate sevocare voluptates (corporis) voluptatis or animi causa (B. G. 5. 12)

deliciis diffluere animum relaxare, reficere, recreare or simply se reficere, se recreare, refici, recreari (ex

aliqua re)

animum or simply se remittere *animo* or simply *sibi indulgere*

to derive pleasure from a thing.

to revel in pleasure, be blissfully happy.

to take one's fill of enjoyment. to take one's fill of enjoyment.

to devote oneself absolutely to the pursuit of pleasure.

a devotee of pleasure; a self-indulgent man.

to be led astray, corrupted allurements of pleasure.

be led astray, corrupted the allurements of pleasure.

to plunge into a life of pleasure.

to hold aloof from all amusement.

sensual pleasure.

for one's own diversion; to satisfy a whim.

to wanton in the pleasures of sense.

to recruit oneself, seek relaxation.

to indulge oneself. to indulge oneself.

abuti properly = to consume, make full use of. From this is developed the rarer meaning to use in excess, abuse = perverse, intemperanter, immoderate uti. Abuse, misuse = pravus usus, vitium male utentium, insolens mos. abusus is only found in the Jurists, and abusio is a technical term of rhetoric = κατάχρησις.

⁸⁹ The original meaning of *ignavia* (*in-gnavus*, cf. *navus*, *navare*) is not cowardice but laziness.

VI. The Mind; its Functions

1. Genius—Talent—Intelligence

magno animo esse animum attendere ad aliquid diligenter attendere (aliquid) alias res or aliud agere animo adesse 90

vir magno ingenio, ingeniosus vir magno ingenio praeditus ingenio valere ingenio abundare natura et ingenium ingenium acuere

ingenii acumen ingenii tarditas (opp. celeritas) ingenii infirmitas or imbecillitas

mentis compotem esse

mente captum esse, mente alienata esse

sanae mentis esse

mentis quasi luminibus officere (vid. sect. XIII. 6) or animo caliginem offundere

intellegentia or mente multum valere 91

accommodare aliquid

to be magnanimous, broad-minded. to turn one's attention to a thing.

to attend carefully. to be inattentive.

(1) to be attentive; (2) to keep one's

presence of mind. a man of ability. a man of ability. to be talented, gifted. to be very talented.

natural gifts. to sharpen the wits.

penetration; sagacity. dulness of intellect. weakmindedness. to be of sane mind. to be out of one's mind.

to be of sound mind.

to obscure the mental vision.

to possess great ability.

ad intellegentiam communem or popularem to accommodate something to the standard of the popular intelligence.

2. Imagination—Thought

animo, cogitatione aliquid fingere (or simply to form an idea of a thing, imagine, fingere, but without sibi), informare

animo concipere aliquid

conceive.

to form an idea of a thing, imagine, conceive.

animo, cogitatione aliquid praecipere (Off 1. to form a conception of a thing beforehand.

cogitatione sibi aliquid depingere

ingenium, cogitatio

ingenii vis or *celeritas* rerum imagines res cogitatione fictae or depictae

opinionum commenta, ineptiae, monstra, extravagant fictions of fancy.

portenta

animo, mente, cogitatione

comprehendere, complecti

to picture to oneself.

imagination.

vivid, lively imagination. creatures of the imagination. creatures of the imagination.

aliquid to grasp a thing mentally.

For the second meaning cf. Cicero, ades animo et omitte timorem, Scipio.

captus, in the meaning ability, capacity, only occurs in the phrase ut captus est servorum; while capacitas merely means capacity, content, e.g. vasorum.

in eam cogitationem incidere haec cogitatio subit animum illud succurrit mihi mihi in mentem venit alicuius rei aliquid animo meo obversatur (cf. sect. III,

s. v. *oculi*)

aliquem ad eam cogitationem adducere ut alicuius animum ab aliqua re abducere

cogitationem, animum in aliquid intendere to direct one's attention... (Acad. 4. 46)

omnes cogitationes ad aliquid conferre mentem in aliqua re defigere in cogitatione defixum esse cogitationes in res humiles abicere (De Amic.

9. 32) (Opp. alte spectare, ad altiora tendere, altum, magnificum, divinum suspicere)

to happen to think of... an idea strikes me. an idea strikes me.

something comes into my mind.

a vague notion presents itself to my mind.

to induce a person to think that...

to draw away some one's attention from a

thina.

to give all one's attention to a thing. to fix all one's thoughts on an object.

to be deep in thought. to study the commonplace.

3. Conceptions—Ideals—Perfection

notiones animo (menti) insitae, innatae *intellegentiae adumbratae* ⁹² or *incohatae* vague, undeveloped ideas. (De Leg. 1. 22. 59)

notionem or rationem alicuius rei in animo to form a conception, notion of a thing.

informare or animo concipere

absolutus et perfectus omnibus numeris absolutus (N. D. 2. 13)

ad summum perducere perficere et absolvere

ad perfectionem, (ad summum) pervenire absolutio et perfectio (not summa perfectio)

cogitatione, non re

undique expleta et perfecta forma

species optima or eximia, specimen, also

simply species, forma

comprehensam quandam animo speciem to have formed an ideal notion of a thing.

(alicuius rei) habere

singularem quandam perfectionis imaginem to conceive an ideal.

animo concipere

imaginem perfecti oratoris adumbrare

civitas optima, perfecta Platonis illa civitas Platonis commenticia illa civitas, quam Plato finxit

innate ideas.

absolutely perfect. perfect in every detail.

to bring to the highest perfection. to bring to the highest perfection.

to attain perfection. ideal perfection. ideally, not really.

an ideal. an ideal.

to sketch the ideal of an orator.

Plato's ideal republic. Plato's ideal republic. Plato's ideal republic.

4. Opinion—Prejudice—Conjecture

adumbrare is a technical term of painting = to make a sketch, outline of an object; then metaphorically, to merely hint at a thing. Its opposite is exprimere, technical term of sculpture, = figuratively, to represent exactly, clearly. It never has the simple meaning "to express."

to abide by, persist in one's opinion. in sententia manere, permanere, perseverare, perstare illud, hoc teneo I abide by this opinion. a sententia sua discedere to give up one's opinion. de sententia sua decedere to give up one's opinion. (de) sententia desistere to give up one's opinion. de sententia deici, depelli, deterreri to be forced to change one's mind. de sententia aliquem deducere, movere to make a man change his opinion. aliquem ad suam sententiam perducere or in to win a man over to one's own way of suam sententiam adducere thinking. ad alicuius sententiam accedere, sententiam to adopt some one's opinion. alicuius segui idem sentire (opp. dissentire ab aliquo) to hold the same views. sententiam suam aperire 93 to freely express one's opinions. sententiam fronte celare, tegere not to betray one's feelings by one's looks. dic quid sentias 94 give me your opinion. in hac sum sententia, ut...putem I think that... plura in eam sententiam disputare to discuss a subject more fully on the same ut mea fert opinio according to my opinion. ut mihi quidem videtur according to my opinion. mea (quidem) sententia according to my opinion. quot homines, tot sententiae many men, many minds. opiniones falsas animo imbibere to be imbibing false opinions. opinionibus falsis imbui to be imbibing false opinions. erroneous opinion. opinionis error opinio praeiudicata, also simply opinio (not prejudice. *praeiudicium* = a preliminary decision) opinio confirmata, inveterata a rooted opinion. opinionum pravitate infici to be filled with absurd prejudices. opinionum commenta (N. D. 2. 2. 5) chimeras. monstra or portenta marvellous ideas; prodigies. assequi, aliquid to conjecture. coniectura consequi, coniectura colligere quantum ego coniectura asseguor, auguror as far as I can guess. coniecturam alicuius rei facere or capere ex to infer by comparison, judge one thing by aligua re another. de se (ex se de aliis) coniecturam facere to judge others by oneself. aliquid in coniectura positum est it is a matter of conjecture, supposition. aliquid coniectura nititur, continetur (Div. 1. it is a matter of conjecture, supposition. 14. 24) probabilia coniectura sequi to try to conjecture probabilities. aliquid mihi nec opinanti, insperanti accidit a thing has happened contrary to my

5. Truth—Error

verum dicere, profiteri

to speak the truth, admit the truth.

expectation.

⁹³ se aperire = to betray oneself; cf. se indicare (Liv. 2. 12).

Not *sententiam dicere*, which is used of senators giving their vote; cf. *suffragium ferre*.

omnia ad veritatem 95 dicere veritatis amans, diligens, studiosus a vero aversum esse (Catil. 3. 1. 29) a veritate deflectere, desciscere veri videndi, investigandi cupiditas veri inquisitio atque investigatio a vero abduci

proxime ad verum accedere a vero non abhorrere veri simile esse

haec speciosiora quam veriora sunt vera et falsa (a falsis) diiudicare vera cum falsis confundere

veritas

re (vera), reapse (opp. specie)

in errore versari magno errore teneri in magno errore versari vehementer errare

erroribus implicari (Tusc. 4. 27. 58) per errorem labi, or simply labi aliquem in errorem inducere, rapere

errorem animo imbibere

errorem cum lacte nutricis sugere (Tusc. 3.

error longe lateque diffusus

errorem tollere

errorem amputare et circumcidere

errorem stirpitus extrahere errorem deponere, corrigere

alicui errorem demere, eripere, extorquere

nisi fallor

nisi (animus) me fallit nisi omnia me fallunt

to be truthful in all one's statements.

truthful; veracious. to be averse to truth. to swerve from the truth.

love of truth.

zealous pursuit of truth. to be led away from the truth.

to be very near the truth.

to be probable. to be probable.

this is more plausible than true. to distinguish true and false. to confuse true with false.

veracity. in truth; really.

to be mistaken.

to be in gross error, seriously misled. to be in gross error, seriously misled. to be in gross error, seriously misled.

to fall into error. to take a false step. to lead a person into error.

to get a mistaken notion into the mind.

to imbibe error from one's mother's breasts.

a wide-spread error.

to banish an error, do away with a false impression.

to banish an error, do away with a false impression.

to totally eradicate false principles. to amend, correct one's mistake.

to undeceive a person. if I am not mistaken. if I am not mistaken. unless I'm greatly mistaken.

6. Choice—Doubt—Scruple

optionem alicui dare (Acad. 2. 7. 19)

optionem alicui dare, utrum...an

in dubium vocare in dubio ponere

in dubium venire

quod aliquam (magnam) dubitationem habet a thing which is rather (very) dubious.

(Leg. Agr. 1. 4. 11)

dubitatio mihi affertur, inicitur dubitationem alicui tollere aliquid in medio, in dubio relinquere (Cael. to leave a thing undecided.

to give a person his choice.

to offer a person the alternative of... or...

to throw doubt upon a thing. to throw doubt upon a thing.

to become doubtful.

a doubt arises in my mind. to relieve a person of his doubts.

verum = the truth, concrete; *veritas* = truth in the abstract.

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aliquid dubium, incertum relinquere sine dubio (not sine ullo dubio)

sine ulla dubitatione

to leave a thing undecided. without doubt, beyond all doubt.

without any hesitation; without the least scruple.

scrupulum ex animo alicuius evellere (Rosc. to relieve a man of his scruple.

Am. 2. 6)

unus mihi restat scrupulus (Ter. Andr. 5. 4. one thing still makes me hesitate.

37) (cf. too *religio*, sect. XI. 2)

7. Knowledge—Certainty—Persuasion

certo (certe) scio 96 (Arch. 12. 32)

probe scio, non ignoro non sum ignarus, nescius (not non sum I know very well.

inscius)

me non fugit, praeterit

quantum scio quod sciam

hoc (not tantum) certum est aliquid compertum habere illud pro certo affirmare licet

mihi exploratum est, exploratum (certum) I am quite certain on the point.

habeo

inter omnes constat mihi persuasum est mihi persuasi

sic habeto

persuade tibi

velim tibi ita persuadeas

sic volo te tibi persuadere

addūcor, ut credam

non possum adduci, ut (credam) ex animi mei sententia (vid. sect. XI. 2)

suo iudicio uti

I know for a fact.

I know very well.

I am not unaware. as far as I know.

as far as I know. this much is certain.

to know a thing for certain. this much I can vouch for.

it is a recognised fact. I am persuaded, convinced.

I am persuaded, convinced.

convince yourself of this; rest assured on this point.

convince yourself of this; rest assured on this point.

convince yourself of this; rest assured on

this point.

convince yourself of this; rest assured on

this point.

I am gradually convinced that... I cannot make myself believe that... according to my strong conviction.

to act in accordance with one's convictions.

8. Plan—Advice—Deliberation

consilium capere, inire (de aliqua re, with to form a plan, make a resolution.

Gen. gerund., with Inf., more rarely *ut*) consilio desistere

to give up a project, an intention.

⁹⁶ With *certe scio*, which is the form Cicero usually employs, the certitude lies in our knowledge, certum est me scire; with certo scire the certitude lies in the object of our knowledge. certo rarely occurs except with scio.

Caesar occasionally uses persuasum sibi habere.

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consilium abicere or deponere a consilio deterreri aliqua re

mediocribus consiliis uti consilium, sententiam mutare suo consilio uti ⁹⁸

magna moliri consilia cum aliquo communicare ⁹⁹

consilia inter se communicare aliquem in or ad consilium adhibere consilium habere (de aliqua re)

consultare or deliberare (de aliqua re) consiliis arcanis interesse (Liv. 35. 18) consilium dare alicui auctorem esse alicui, ut aliquem consilio (et re) iuvare

consilii mei copiam facio tibi

consilium petere ab aliquo consilii inopem esse omnia consilia frigent (Verr. 2. 25)

nullo consilio, nulla ratione, temere secum (cum animo) reputare aliquid considerare in, cum animo, secum aliquid agitare (in) mente or (in) animo aliquid aliquid cadit in deliberationem (Off. 1. 3. 9) re diligenter considerata, perpensa omnibus rebus circumspectis inita subductaque ratione

to let a plan fall through.

to be deterred from one's intention by something.

to adopt half-measures.

to alter one's views, intentions.

to go one's own way, proceed independently.

to be busy with ambitious projects.

(1) to communicate one's plans to some one; (2) to make common cause with a person. Similarly *c. causam, rationem*.

to take common counsel.

to consult a person, take his advice.

to deliberate together (of a number of people).

to deliberate, consider (of individuals).

to be present at secret consultations.

to give a person advice.

to give a person advice.

to give a person the advantage of one's advice (and actual support).

I put myself at your disposal as regards advice.

to apply to a person for advice.

to be perplexed.

advice is useless in this case; the situation is very embarrassing.

without reflection; inconsiderately; rashly.

to think over, consider a thing.

to think over, consider a thing.

to think over, consider a thing.

a subject becomes matter for reflection.

after mature deliberation.

after mature deliberation.

after mature deliberation.

9. Resolve—Design—Intention

in animo habeo or mihi est in animo c. Inf. certum (mihi) est certum deliberatumque est stat mihi sententia (Liv. 21. 30.) incertus sum, quid consilii capiam

I am resolved; it is my intention.

I am determined.

I am firmly resolved.

I am firmly resolved.

I am undecided...

⁹⁸ *uti* is similarly used in several phrases, especially with the meaning of having, showing, enjoying, practising, proving, etc., e.g. *uti ventis secundis, adversis*, *praesenti animo uti*, to show presence of mind; *perpetua felicitate*, to enjoy...; *prudentia, severitate, crudelitate*, to show...; *bona valetudine, prospero fortunae flatu*, to enjoy...; cf. sect. V. 6.

communicare (aliquid cum aliquo) means properly to share a thing with some one. From this are developed the two senses—1. to give some one something, e.g. consilia, laudem, gloriam alicuius rei, 2. to receive a share of a thing, e.g. pericula, paupertatem. "To communicate," i.e. to announce, inform, is represented by dicere, tradere, narrare, exponere, certiorem facere, etc.

mihi non constat (with indirect question) propositum est mihi c. Inf. consilium tenere (opp. propositum, proposito deterreri) propositum 100 assequi, peragere magna sibi proponere or magna spectare

in incepto or conatu perstare in proposito susceptoque consilio permanere *incepto* or *conatu desistere* parare aliquid

animum inducere c. Inf. (not in animum to persuade oneself to... *inducere*)

a me impetrare non possum, ut descendere ad aliquid, ad omnia (vid. sect. V. 9, note *Similarly descendere...*)

descendere ad extrema consilia (Fam. 10. to have recourse to extreme measures. 33. 4)

I have not made up my mind. I intend, propose to... a to abide by one's resolution.

to carry out one's plan.

to have a high object in view; to be ambitious.

to persevere in one's resolve. to persevere in one's resolve. to give up one's project. to take measures for...

I cannot bring myself to... to consent to..., lend oneself to...

10. Object—Aim—Hesitation—Delay

consilium est c. Inf. or ut id sequor, ut spectare aliquid or ad aliquid res eo spectat, ut

res spectat ad vim (arma)

diem ex die ducere, differre

id quod voluit consecutus est ad id quod voluit pervenit auid tibi vis? quid hoc sibi vult? quid hoc rei est? eo consilio, ea mente, ut de industria, dedita opera (opp. imprudens) ad id ipsum 102 *infecta re* (Liv. 9. 32) moram alicui rei afferre, inferre, facere in mora alicui esse nullam moram interponere, quin (Phil. 10. 1. <u>1</u>) sine mora or nulla mora interposita

my intention is... my intention is... to have an object in view.

the matter tends towards..., has this object.

there seems a prospect of armed violence; things look like violence.

he attained his object. he attained his object. what do you mean to do? what is the meaning of this? what is the meaning of this? with the intention of... designedly; intentionally. with this very object. to no purpose; ineffectually. to retard, delay a thing. to detain a person.

to make all possible haste to...

without delay.

to put off from one day to another.

In classical prose propositum is still semi-adjectival and has not yet acquired all the functions of a substantive; consequently it cannot be joined to a genitive, an adjective, or a pronoun. Cf. the treatment of factum, dictum, etc., in Augustan Latin.

Note *Athenae a Persis petutuntur*, the object of the Persian invasion is Athens (Nep. Them. 2. 6).

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The aim, tendency of a writing or a poem is consilium, quo liber scriptus est, quo carmen compositum est, or quod quis in libro scribendo secutus est, not consilium libri.

11. Remembrance—Forgetfulness

memoriā tenere aliquid to remember a thing perfectly. memoriam alicuius rei tenere to remember a thing perfectly. recenti memoria tenere aliquid to have a vivid recollection of a thing. *memoriā (multum) valere* (opp. *memoriā* to have a good memory. vacillare) memorem esse (opp. obliviosum esse) to have a good memory. memoria tanta fuit, ut he had such an extraordinary memory that... memoriā labi to make a slip of the memory. memoriae mandare aliquid 103 to impress on the memory. ex memoria (opp. de scripto) from memory; by heart. (1) with good memory; (2) from personal memoriter recollection. memoria custodire to keep in mind. memoriam alicuius rei renovare, revocare to recall a thing to one's recollection. (redintegrare) memoriam alicuius rei repetere to recall to mind a thing or person. in memoriam alicuius redire to recall to mind a thing or person. in memoriam alicuius redigere, reducere to recall a thing to a person's mind. aliquid (not revocare) memoria et recordatio vivid recollection. to show a thankful appreciation of a person's grata memoria aliquem prosequi kindness. nomen alicuius grato animo prosequi to think of a person with a grateful sense of his goodness. memoriam alicuius rei repraesentare (opp. to picture to oneself again. memoriam alicuius rei deponere, abicere) memoriam alicuius rei conservare, retinere to retain the recollection of a thing. memoriam alicuius pie inviolateque servare to show an affectionate regard for a person's memory. gratam (gratissimam) alicuius memoriam to retain a (most) pleasant impression of a retinere person. numquam ex animo meo memoria illius rei the memory of this will never fade from my discedet mind. a thing has been vividly impressed on $\operatorname{our}^{^{105}}$ aliquid in memoria nostra penitus insidet memory. memoriam eius nulla umquam delebit nothing will ever make me forgetful of him.

memoriam eius nulla umquam delebit (obscurabit) oblivio (<u>Fam. 2. 1</u>) semper memoria eius in (omnium) mentibus

semper memoria eius in (omnium) mentibus nothing will ever make me forgetful of him. haerebit

nomen suum posteritati aliqua re commendare, propagare, prodere

memoriam nominis sui immortalitati tradere, to immortalise one's name.

re to win renown amongst posterity by some

act.

Distinguish this expression from *ediscere* which = to learn by heart; also from *memoriae prodere, tradere* = to hand down as tradition (*vid.* sect. VII. 14).

Prosequi used figuratively, with an ablative, occurs in several phrases—e.g. *prosequi aliquem honore; verbis honorificis; beneficiis, officiis, studiis suis; ominibus, votis, lacrimis.*

Transcriber's Note: The original text indeed has "my", which is wrong, however, because the Latin phrase uses "nostra". The French edition uses "notre mémoire".

mandare, commendare post hominum memoriam within the memory of man. within the memory of man. post homines natos in memory of... memoriae causa, ad (not in) memoriam (Brut. 16. 62) oblivio alicuius rei me capit I forget something. aliquem in oblivionem alicuius rei adducere to make a person forget a thing. (pass. in oblivionem venire) aliquid excidit e memoria, effluit, excidit ex a thing escapes, vanishes from the memory. animo memoria alicuius rei excidit, abiit, abolevit the recollection of a thing has been entirely lost. to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. *obliterari* 107 (Liv. 26. 41) memoria alicuius rei obscuratur, obliteratur, to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. evanescit oblivioni esse, dari to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. in oblivionem adduci to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. oblivione obrui, deleri, exstingui *in oblivione iacēre* (of persons) to be forgotten, pass into oblivion. aliquid ab oblivione vindicare to rescue from oblivion.

do not forget.

12. Theory—Practice—Experience

mementote with Acc. c. Inf.

ratione, doctrina (opp. usu) aliquid cognitum to have a theoretical knowledge of a thing. habere ad artem, ad rationem revocare aliquid (De to reduce a thing to its theoretical principles; Or. 2. 11. 44) to apply theory to a thing. doctrinam ad usum adiungere to combine theory with practice. to have had practical experience. in rebus atque in usu versatum esse usu 108 praeditum esse to possess experience. magnum usum in aliqua re habere to have had great experience in a thing. varied, manifold experience. multarum rerum usus we know from experience. usu rerum (vitae, vitae communis) edocti sumus experti scimus, didicimus we know from experience. usu cognitum habemus we know from experience. res ipsa, usus rerum (cotidie) docet everyday experience tells us this. (rerum) imperitum esse to have had no experience of the world. multa acerba expertus est 109 he has had many painful experiences. usus me docuit experience has taught me.

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One can also say *monumenti causa*—e.g. *aliquid alicui momenti causa relinquere*. Cf. such turnings as *alicuius memoriam aliqua re prosequi, celebrare, renovare*.

This and the following expressions are useful to express the passive of *oblivisci*.

Not *experientia*, which in classical prose means attempt, proof.

experiri is only used of personal experience.

VII. The Arts and Sciences

1. Scientific Knowledge in General—Literature

optima studia, bonae, optimae, liberales, the sciences; the fine arts. ingenuae artes, disciplinae

litterarum studium or tractatio (not

occupatio)

homines litterarum studiosi

homines docti

artium studia or artes vigent (not florent)

litterae iacent, neglectae iacent 111

litteras colere litteras amplecti

litteras adamasse (only in perf. and plup.)

in studio litterarum versari

in aliquo litterarum genere versari summo studio in litteris versari se totum litteris tradere, dedere

se totum in litteras or se litteris abdere

in litteris elaborare (De Sen. 8. 26)

in litteris acquiescere or conquiescere aetatem in litteris ducere, agere

omne (otiosum) tempus in litteris consumere omne studium in litteris collocare, ad litteras conferre

optimarum artium studio incensum esse

litterarum studio trahi trahi, ferri ad litteras litterarum studia remittere intermissa studia revocare

primis (ut dicitur) ¹¹² or *primoribus labris* gustare or attingere litteras

litterae

litterae ac monumenta or simply monumenta

litterae latinae 113

clarissima litterarum lumina

graecis litteris studere

the study of belles-lettres; literary pursuits.

learned, scientific, literary men. learned, scientific, literary men.

learning, scientific knowledge is flourishing. scholarship, culture, literature is at a low ebb.

to be engaged in the pursuit of letters.

to be an enthusiastic devotee of letters.

to be an enthusiastic devotee of letters.

to be engaged in literary pursuits.

to be engaged in any branch of study.

to be an ardent student of...

to devote oneself entirely to literature.

to be quite engrossed in literary studies.

to apply oneself very closely to literary, scientific work.

to find recreation in study.

to devote one's life to science, study.

to devote all one's leisure moments to study.

to employ all one's energies on literary work.

to be interested in, have a taste for culture.

to feel an attraction for study.

to feel an attraction for study.

to relax one's studies.

to resume one's studies.

have a superficial knowledge, smattering of literature, of the sciences.

literature.

written records; documents.

Roman literature.

shining lights in the literary world.

to study Greek literature.

multum (mediocriter) in graecis litteris to be well (slightly) acquainted with Greek

latinus is only used of language and literature, Romanus of nationality.

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littera in sing. = letter of the alphabet, e.g. *litteram nullam ad me misit*. In plur. = 1. letters of the alphabet, characters (cf. viii. 9); 2. a letter (epistola); 3. writings, books, e.g. graecae de philosophia litterae; 4. literature, graecas litteras discere; 5. literary pursuits; 6. science; 7. culture, erudition, learning, erant in eo plurimae litterae, neque eae vulgares, sed interiores quaedam et reconditae.

iacêre metaphorically is used not only of things neglected and abandoned, but of persons (cf. frigere) who have lost all their political influence.

Cf. Pro Caelio 12, 28 extremis ut dicitur digitis attingere.

literature. versari

2. Learning—Erudition

vir or homo doctus, litteratus

vir doctissimus

vir perfecte planeque eruditus

vir omni doctrina eruditus

multi viri docti, or multi et ii docti (not multi many learned men; many scholars.

omnes docti, quivis doctus, doctissimus all learned men.

quisque

nemo doctus

nemo mediocriter doctus latinis litteris or latine doctus

bene 114 latine doctus or sciens

doctrina abundare (De Or. 3. 16. 59)

a doctrina mediocriter instructum esse

doctrina exquisita, subtilis, elegans 115 doctrina recondita

studia, quae in reconditis artibus versantur

(De Or. 1. 2. 8)

magnam doctrinae speciem prae se ferre

vita umbratilis (vid. sect. VII. 4)

litterarum scientiam (only in sing.) *habere*

scientiam alicuius rei consequi scientia comprehendere aliquid

penitus percipere et comprehendere aliquid to have a thorough grasp of a subject.

(De Or. 1. 23. 108)

scientia augere aliquem

multa cognita, percepta habere, multa to be well-informed, erudite.

didicisse

multarum rerum cognitione imbutum esse to be well-informed, erudite. (opp. litterarum or eruditionis expertem

esse or [rerum] rudem esse)

a man of learning; a scholar; a savant.

a great scholar.

a man of profound erudition.

a man perfect in all branches of learning.

no man of learning.

no one with any pretence to education. acquainted with the Latin language.

a good Latin scholar.

to be a man of great learning.

to have received only a moderate education.

sound knowledge; scholarship.

profound erudition. abstruse studies.

to pass as a man of great learning. the contemplative life of a student. to possess literary knowledge. to acquire knowledge of a subject. to acquire knowledge of a subject.

to enrich a person's knowledge.

3. Culture—Civilisation

animum, ingenium excolere (not colere) animi, ingenii cultus (not cultura)

optimis studiis or artibus, optimarum artium to have received a liberal education.

studiis eruditum esse

litteras scire

to cultivate the mind. mental culture.

to have received a liberal education.

For the use of adverbs to modify adjectives and other adverbs vid. Nägelsbach Lat. Stil. p. 278; cf. bene multi, bene mane, bene penitus (Verr. 2. 70. 169), impie ingratus (Tusc. 5. 2. 6) etc. Such combinations are especially frequent in Tacitus, Velleius, Seneca, and Quintilian. For latine by itself cf. Cic. Opt. Gen. 4 latine, id est pure et emendate, loqui. If the style is to be criticised, adverbs can be added—e.g. bene, perbene, pessime, eleganter, etc., cf. vii. 7.

Not solida, which means properly entire, massive—e.g. marmor solidum, crateres auro solidi, then metaph. e.g.—solida laus, utilitas.

litterae interiores et reconditae, artes profound scientific education. *reconditae*

sunt in illo, ut in homine Romano, multae for a Roman he is decidedly well educated. litterae (De Sen. 4. 12)

litteris leviter imbutum or tinctum esse to have received a superficial education.

omni vita atque victu excultum atque to have attained to a high degree of culture. expolitum esse (Brut. 25. 95)

omnis cultus et humanitatis expertem esse to be quite uncivilised.

ab omni cultu et humanitate longe abesse to be quite uncivilised. (B. G. 1. 1. 3)

homines, gentem a fera agrestique vita ad to civilise men, a nation. humanum cultum civilemque deducere (De

Or. 1. 8. 33)

4. Education—Instruction—School—Profession

liberaliter, ingenue, bene educari to receive a liberal education.

severa disciplina contineri to be brought up under strict discipline.

aliquem ad humanitatem informare or to teach a person refinement.

*instituere mores alicuius corrigere*to improve a person.

in viam reducere aliquem to bring a person back to the right way.

in viam redire to return to the right way. *litteras discere ab aliquo* to be educated by some one.

institui or erudiri ab aliquo to receive instruction from some one. disciplina alicuius uti, magistro aliquo uti to receive instruction from some one. e disciplina alicuius profectum esse to be brought up in some one's school.

puerum alicui erudiendum or in disciplinam to entrust a child to the tuition of... tradere

operam dare or simply se dare alicui, se to become a pupil, disciple of some one.

tradere in disciplinam alicuius, se conferre, se applicare ad aliquem

multum esse cum aliquo (<u>Fam. 16. 21</u>) to enjoy close intercourse with... (of master and pupil).

ludus (discendi or litterarum) an elementary school.

schola a school for higher education.

scholam frequentare to go to a school.

disciplina (institutio) puerilis (not liberorum) the teaching of children.

pueros elementa (prima) docere to teach children the rudiments.

primis litterarum elementis imbui to receive the first elements of a liberal education.

doctrinae, quibus aetas puerilis impertiri the usual subjects taught to boys. solet (Nep. Att. 1. 2)

artes, quibus aetas puerilis ad humanitatem the usual subjects taught to boys. informari solet

erudire aliquem artibus, litteris (but erudire to teach some one letters.

aliquem in iure civili, in re militari)
natum, factum esse ad aliquid (faciendum) to be born for a thing, endowed by nature for it.

Not *incultum esse*, which refers only to external appearance.

adversante et repugnante natura or invitā to do a thing which is not one's vocation, Minervā (ut aiunt) aliquid facere (Off. 1. 31. 110)

which goes against the grain.

crassa or pingui Minerva (proverb.)

with no intelligence or skill. calcaria alicui adhibere, admovere; stimulos to spur, urge a person on.

alicui admovere

frenos adhibere alicui

bona indole (always in sing.) praeditum esse

to restrain some one. to be gifted, talented (not *praeditum esse* by

ingenio valere

summo ingenio praeditum esse

in aliqua re progressus facere, proficere,

progredi

aliquid efficere, consequi in aliqua re (De Or.

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adulescens alios bene de se sperare iubet, bonam spem ostendit or alii de adulescente

bene sperare possunt

adulescens bonae (egregiae) spei magna est exspectatio ingenii tui

desudare in scholae umbra or umbraculis 117 genus vitae (vivendi) or aetatis degendae deligere 119

viam vitae ingredi (Flacc. 42. 105) philosophiam, medicinam profiteri se philosophum, medicum (esse) profiteri qui ista profitentur

to be gifted, talented.

to possess rich mental endowments. to make progress in a subject.

to obtain a result in something.

he is a young man of great promise.

a promising youth.

we expect a great deal from a man of your

calibre.

to exert oneself in the schools. to choose a career, profession.

to enter upon a career.

to be a philosopher, physician by profession. to be a philosopher, physician by profession.

men of that profession.

5. Example—Pattern—Precedent

exemplum clarum, praeclarum

exemplum luculentum exemplum illustre

exemplum magnum, grande

exemplum afferre exemplo uti

aliquem (aliquid) exempli causa ponere. proferre, nominare, commemorare

brilliant example; a striking a good,

a good, brilliant example; a striking example. a good, brilliant example; a striking example.

a weighty example, precedent.

to quote an example. to quote an example.

to cite a person or a thing as an example.

Transcriber's Note: The original footnote indeed has sol, lux ori. But that is wrong as can be seen from the French edition using sol, lux fori.

Not bonum exemplum, which means an example morally good for us to follow.

Cf. umbra, umbracula (-orum), and umbratilis (vid. vii. 2, vita umbratilis), used of the retired life of a savant as opposed to sol, lux fori or forensis. Cf. De Legg. 3. 6. 14 Phalereus ille Demetrius mirabiliter doctrinam ex umbraculis eruditorum otioque non modo in solem atque in pulverem sed in ipsum discrimen aciemque produxit.

The *locus classicus* on the choice of a profession is <u>De Officiis 1. 32. 115-122</u>.

[&]quot;For example" must not be translated by *exempli causa*, which is only used in complete sentences with such verbs as ponere, afferre, proferre, nominare. verbi causa (gratia) = "for instance," "we will

comprobare, to quote precedents for a thing. aliquid exemplis probare, confirmare aliquid exemplis ostendere to demonstrate by instances. exempla petere, repetere a rerum gestarum to borrow instances from history. memoria or historiarum (annalium, rerum gestarum) monumentis exempla a rerum Romanarum (Graecarum) examples taken from Roman (Greek) history. memoria petita multa exempla in unum (locum) colligere to collect, accumulate instances. ex infinita exemplorum copia unum (pauca) to choose one from a large number of sumere, decerpere (eligere) instances. a Socrate exemplum virtutis petere, repetere to quote Socrates as a model of virtue. similitudines afferre to cite parallel cases. auctore aliquo uti ad aliquid to have as authority for a thing. auctorem aliquem habere alicuius rei to have as authority for a thing. auctoritatem alicuius segui to be guided by another's example. standard and pattern. auctoritas et exemplum (Balb. 13. 31) ad to set up some one as one's ideal, model. sibi exemplum alicuius proponere *imitandum* or simply *sibi aliquem* ad imitandum proponere sibi exemplum sumere ex aliquo or to take a lesson from some one's example. exemplum capere de aliquo ad exemplum alicuius se conformare to shape one's conduct after another's model. exemplum edere, prodere to set an example. exemplo esse to set an example. exemplum in aliquo or in aliquem statuere to inflict an exemplary punishment on some exemplum (severitatis) edere in aliquo (Q. to inflict an exemplary punishment on some Fr. 1. 2. 2. 5) one. bene (male) praecipere alicui to inculcate good (bad) principles. praecepta dare, tradere de aliqua re to give advice, directions, about a matter. ad praecipiendi rationem delābi (Q. Fr. 1. 1. to adopt a didactic tone. 6.18) aliquid in animo haeret, penitus insedit or a thing is deeply impressed on the mind. infixum est aliquid animo mentique penitus mandare to impress a thing on one's memory, mind. (Catil. 1. 11. 27) demittere aliquid in pectus or in pectus to take a thing to heart. animumque suum hoc verbum alte descendit in pectus alicuius what he said made a deep impression on...

6. Philosophy

se conferre ad philosophiam, ad philosophiae to devote oneself to philosophy. or sapientiae studium (Fam. 4. 3. 4)

animum appellere or se applicare ad to apply oneself to the study of philosophy.

philosophiam

say," usually refers to a single expression, e.g. *quid dicis igitur? miserum fuisse verbi causa M. Crassum?* (Tusc. 1. 4. 12). Often examples are introduced by such words as *ut, velut, in his,* etc., e.g. *bestiae quae gignuntur in terra, veluti crocodili* (N. D. 2. 48. 124).

studio teneri to be enamoured of philosophy. philosophiae (sapientiae) (Acad. 1. 2. 4) in portum philosophiae confugere to take refuge in philosophy. in sinum philosophiae compelli to be driven into the arms of philosophy. philosophia (neglecta) iacet (vid. sect. VII. 1, philosophy is neglected, at low ebb. note *iacēre...*) philosophiam latinis litteris illustrare (Acad. to write expositions of philosophy in Latin. 1. 1. 3) Ciceronis de philosophia libri Cicero's philosophical writings. decreta, inventa philosophorum the tenets, dogmas of philosophers. quae in philosophia tractantur philosophical subjects. praecepta philosophorum (penitus) percepta to be well acquainted with the views of habere philosophers. illae sententiae evanuerunt those views are out of date. illae sententiae iam pridem explosae et those ideas have long ago been given up. eiectae sunt (Fin. 5. 8. 23) schola, disciplina, familia; secta a sect, school of thought. sectam alicuius sequi (Brut. 31. 120) to be a follower, disciple of some one. disciplinam alicuius profiteri to be a follower, disciple of some one. disciples of Plato, Platonists. qui sunt a Platone or a Platonis disciplina; qui profecti sunt a Platone; Platonici Solo, unus de septem (illis) Solon, one of the seven sages. Pythagorae doctrina longe lategue fluxit Pythagoras' principles were widely (Tusc. 4. 1. 2) propagated. scholas habere, explicare (Fin. 2. 1. 1) to give lectures. scholis interesse to attend lectures.

to teach

to attend Plato's lectures.

7. The Parts of Philosophy

audire Platonem, auditorem esse Platonis

tradere (aliquid de aliqua re)

physics; natural philosophy. physica (*-orum*) (Or. 34. 119); philosophia naturalis dialectica (-ae or *-orum*) (pure Latin logic, dialectic. disserendi ratio et scientia) disserendi praecepta tradere to teach logic. disserendi elegantia logical minuteness, precision. disserendi subtilitas (De Or. 1. 1. 68) dialectical nicety. disserendi spinae (Fin. 4. 28. 79) subtleties of logic; dilemmas. disserendi peritus et artifex an accomplished dialectician. homo in dialecticis versatissimus an accomplished dialectician. disserendi artem nullam habere to know nothing of logic. dialecticis ne imbutum ¹²³ quidem esse to be ignorant of even the elements of logic. eleganter (opp. nulla ratione, to arrange on strictly logical principles. ratione, ineleganter, confuse) disponere aliquid

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¹²² Cf. <u>Acad. 1. 5. 19</u> philosophandi ratio triplex; una de vita et moribus, altera de natura et rebus occultis, tertia de disserendo.

imbuere is properly to give the first touch to, tinge, bathe, e.g. *gladii sanguine imbuti.* Metaph. it = (1) to fill with, e.g. *religione, pietate, superstitione, crudelitate*; (2) to teach, initiate, e.g. *animum honestis artibus*, and is used especially of a superficial knowledge.

philosophia, quae est de vita et moribus moral science; ethics. (Acad. 1. 5. 19)

philosophia, in qua de bonis rebus et malis,

deque hominum vita et moribus disputatur

artis quae versatur, or praeceptis

continetur

philosophia, 124 quae in actione versatur

omnes philosophiae loci

moral science; ethics.

philosophia, quae in rerum contemplatione theoretical, speculative philosophy.

practical philosophy.

the whole domain of philosophy.

8. System—Method—Principles

ratio; disciplina, ratio et disciplina; ars system.

ad artem redigere aliquid to systematise. ad rationem, ad artem et praecepta revocare to systematise.

arte conclusum esse ratio et doctrina

aliquid (De Or. 1. 41)

artificio et via tradere aliquid artificiose redigere aliquid

ad rationis praecepta accommodare aliquid totam rationem evertere (pass. iacet tota ratio)

ratione et via, via et ratione progredi,

disputare (Or. 33. 116) novam rationem ingredi a certa ratione proficisci a falsis principiis proficisci

ad philosophorum or philosophandi rationes to deal with a subject on scientific principles.

revocare aliquid

rem (res) definire

a definitione proficisci

perpetuitas et constantia (Tusc. 5. 10. 31)

to have been reduced to a system.

systematic, methodical knowledge. to give a scientific explanation of a thing. to treat with scientific exactness; to classify. to treat with scientific exactness; to classify.

to upset the whole system.

to proceed, carry on a discussion logically.

to enter on a new method. to be based on a sound principle.

to start from false premises.

logical consistency.

9. Species—Definition—Classification—Connection

partes 125 generibus subiectae sunt genus universum in species certas partiri et to analyse a general division into its specific dividere (Or. 33. 117)

genere, non numero or *magnitudine differre* spinae partiendi et definiendi (Tusc. 5. 8. 22) the species is subordinate the genus.

parts.

to differ qualitatively not quantitatively.

minute, captious subdivisions and definitions.

to define a thing.

to start from a definition.

involutae rei notitiam definiendo aperire (Or. to make an obscure notion clear by means

Cf. Sen. Ep. 25. 10 philosophia activa.

Cf. Cic. De Or. 1. 42 for the definition. GENUS autem id est, quod sui similes communione quadam,

specie autem differentes, duas aut plures complectitur partes. PARTES autem sunt, quae generibus eis ex quibus manant subiciuntur; omniaque quae sunt vel generum vel partium nomina, definitionibus, quam vim habeant, est exprimendum. est enim DEFINITIO rerum earum, quae sunt eius rei propriae, quam definire volumus, brevis et circumscripta quaedam explicatio.

33. 116) sub metum subiectum esse disputetur in ordinem redigere aliquid conexum et aptum esse inter se cohaerere, coniunctum esse cum aliqua re arte (artissime) coniunctum esse apte (aptissime) cohaerere continuatio seriesque rerum, ut alia ex alia nexa et omnes inter se aptae colligataeque sint (N. D. 1. 4. 9)

diffusum, dissipatum esse confusum, perturbatum esse rem dissolutam conglutinare, coagmentare of definition.

to be comprised under the term "fear."

constituere, quid et quale sit, de quo to determine the nature and constitution of the subject under discussion.

to systematise, classify a thing.

to be closely connected with each other. to be closely connected with a thing.

to be very intimately related.

to be very intimately related.

systematic succession, concatenation.

to have no coherence, connection.

to be confused.

to reunite disconnected elements.

10. Proof—Refutation

argumentum 126 firmum, magnum argumentum afferre argumentum immortalitatis afferre (not pro)

argumentum afferre, quo animos immortales to bring forward a proof of the immortality esse demonstratur

argumento huic rei est, quod aliquid planum facere (Ad Herenn. 2. 5)

aliquid alicui probare (or c. Acc. c. Inf.)

argumentis confirmare, comprobare, evincere aliquid (or c. Acc. c. Inf.)

argumentum ducere, sumere ex aliqua re or to derive an argument from a thing. petere ab aliqua re

argumentum premere (not urgere)

loci (τόποι) argumentorum (De Or. 2. 162)

argumenta refellere, confutare rationem ¹²⁷ afferre (Verr. 3. 85. 195) a strong, striking proof. to bring forward a proof.

to quote an argument in favour of

immortality.

of the soul.

a proof of this is that...

to demonstrate, make a thing clear.

to prove one's point to a person's satisfaction.

to prove a thing indisputably.

to persist in an argument, press a point. the points on which proofs are based; the

grounds of proof. to refute arguments.

to bring forward an argument (based on common-sense).

11. Conclusion—Hypothesis—Inference

concludere, colligere, efficere, cogere ex to draw a conclusion from a thing. aliqua re

acute, subtiliter concludere ratio or rationis conclusio efficit

to draw a subtle inference. the conclusion proves that...

argumentum = a proof resting on facts; ratio = an argument drawn from the general reasonableness of the proposition.

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ratiocinatio, ratio prima 128 (superiora); consequentia (Fin. 4. 19. 54)

the syllogism; reasoning. premises; consequences.

conclusiuncula fallax or captio positum est a nobis primum (c. Acc. c. Inf.) hoc posito

we start by presupposing that... on this supposition, hypothesis.

systematic, scientific discussion.

to discuss both sides of a question.

a fallacious argument; sophism.

hoc probato consequens est sequitur (not ex quo seq.) ut it follows from what we have shown.

ex quo, unde, hinc efficitur ut

it follows from this that... it follows from this that...

12. Debate—Controversy

disputatio, quaestio disputare 129 (de aliqua re, ad aliquid)

subtiliter disputare

in utramque partem, in contrarias partes

disputare (De Or. 1. 34)

in nullam partem disputare

to say nothing either for or against an

to discuss, investigate a subject scientifically.

argument. I have nothing to say against it.

non repugno esse in to be dogmatic; positive. pertinacem (opp. clementem)

disputando

opponere alicui aliquid

dare, concedere aliquid sumere (opp. reicere) aliquid tenere aliquid; stare in aliqua re

obtinere aliquid

to object, to adduce in contradiction.

to grant, admit a thing. to assume a thing.

to be at variance with.

to leave a point undecided.

to thoroughly discuss.

to insist on a point.

to maintain one's assertion, prove oneself

to make a thing the subject of controversy.

to be contested, become the subject of

riaht. to be at variance with.

debate.

in controversia (contentione) esse, versari

in controversiam cadere

in controversiam vocare, adducere aliquid in controversiam vocari, adduci, venire (De

Or. 2. 72. 291)

in controversia relinquere aliquid

controversiam (contentionem) habere cum to maintain a controversy with some one.

aliquo

in contentione ponitur, utrum...an

id, de quo agitur or id quod cadit in the point at issue.

controversiam

it is a debated point whether... or...

controversiam sedare, dirimere, componere, to put an end to, settle a dispute.

tollere

controversiam diiudicare to decide a debated question.

transigere aliquid cum aliquo

res mihi tecum est sine (ulla) controversia to come to an understanding with a person.

I have a point to discuss with you.

indisputably; incontestably.

In a syllogism the technical term for the major premise is *propositio* or *propositio* major, for the minor, propositio minor, for the conclusion, conclusio.

disputare = to discuss, considering the arguments pro and con, used of a number of people with different opinions. disserere de aliqua re = to discourse on a matter for the benefit of those present; but in both cases the substantive is *disputatio*.

hoc est a (pro) me res ipsa docet res ipsa (pro me apud te) loquitur res confecta est

this goes to prove what I say. the very facts of the case show this. the matter speaks for itself. the question is settled, finished.

13. Agreement—Contradiction

consentire, idem sentire cum aliquo dissentire, dissidere ab or cum aliquo omnes (uno ore) in hac re consentiunt una et consentiens vox est una voce; uno ore

uno, communi, summo or omnium consensu unanimously. (Tusc. 1. 15. 35)

re concinere, verbis discrepare hoc convēnit inter nos

hoc mihi tecum convēnit (Att. 6. 1. 14)

auī convenit?

summa est virorum doctissimorum consensio the learned men are most unanimous in... (opp. *dissensio*)

constantia (opp. inconstantia) (Tusc. 5. 11. consistency.

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inter se pugnare or *repugnare*

secum pugnare (without sibi); sibi repugnare to contradict oneself, be inconsistent. (of things)

persons)

pugnantia loqui (Tusc. 1. 7. 13)

to agree with a person. to disagree with a person. all agree on this point. all are unanimous. unanimously.

to agree in fact but not in word. we have agreed on this point. I agree with you there.

how is this consistent? how are we to reconcile this ...?

to be mutually contradictory.

a se dissidere or sibi non constare (of to contradict oneself, be inconsistent.

make contradictory, inconsistent statements.

dicere contra aliquem or aliquid (not to contradict some one. contradicere alicui)

14. Particular Sciences (History—Mythology—Chronology—Geography— Mathematics—Natural Science—Astronomy)

res Romanae 130 res gestae Romanorum historia historia Romana 131 or rerum Romanarum historia

Roman history (i.e. the events in it). Roman history (*i.e.* the events in it).

history (as a science).

Roman history (*i.e.* the exposition, representation of it by writers).

But res Romana = the Roman power, Rome.

historia has several different senses. (1) The narration, exposition of the facts (res gestae, res), cf. rerum exemplum, historic precedent; res facta, historic fact. (2) Historical composition, e.g. historiam scribere, historia graeca = either a history written in Greek or a history of Greece (rerum graecarum historia); historia latina, history written in Latin; historia romana or rerum romanarum historia = a history of Rome. (3) A place famous in history, e.g. quacunque ingredimur, in aliqua historia pedem

Roman history (as tradition). memoria rerum Romanarum historiam (-as) scribere to write a history. to write a history of Rome. res populi Romani perscribere rerum scriptor 132 an historian. *rerum auctor* (as authority) an historian. (veterum to study historical records, read history. evolvere historias, litterarum annalium) monumenta memoriae tradition, history tells us. memoriae traditum est, (memoria) proditum est (without nobis) tradunt, dicunt, ferunt they say; it is commonly said. accepimus 133 we know; we have been told. historiae prodiderunt (without nobis) history has handed down to us. apud rerum scriptores scriptum videmus, we read in history. scriptum est duplex est memoria de aliqua re a twofold tradition prevails on this subject. ancient history. rerum veterum memoria ancient history. memoria vetus (Or. 34, 120) veterum annales ancient history. veterum annalium monumenta ancient history. ancient history. antiquitatis memoria recentioris aetatis memoria modern history. memoria huius aetatis (horum temporum) the history of our own times; contemporary history. nostra memoria (Cael. 18. 43) the history of our own times; contemporary history. omnis memoria, omnis memoria aetatum, universal history. temporum, civitatum or omnium rerum, gentium, temporum, saeculorum memoria memoriam annalium or temporum replicare to consult history. aetas heroica 134 (Tusc. 5. 3. 7) the mythical period, the heroic age. tempora heroica (N. D. 3. 21. 54) the mythical period, the heroic age. fabulae, historia fabularis mythology. repetere ultima (extrema, prisca) to go back to the remote ages. ab antiquitate (vetustate), ab heroicis temporibus ut a fabulis ad facta veniamus to pass from myth to history. historicorum fide contestata memoria historic times. historiae, rerum fides historic truth. narrare aliquid ad fidem historiae to give a veracious and historic account of a

ponimus. In the plural *historiae* means specially histories, anecdotes (*narratiunculae*), memoirs, e.g. *Taciti historiae*.

thing.

an acknowledged historical fact.

res historiae fide comprobata

historicus means an erudite student of history, one engaged on historical research. As an adjective its use in Cicero is limited, being only used when opposed to *oratorius*, e.g. *genus historicum*, historic style (Brut. 83. 286).

scimus, cognovimus (= we know by experience) are not used of historical knowledge.

heroicus only of time. herous = epic, e.g. versus herous (<u>De Or. 3. 49. 191</u>) = a dactylic hexameter; pes herous a dactyl; "epic" of other things is usually epicus, e.g. carmen epicum; poetae epici, or epici alone. For "heroic" of an action, cf. praeclarum atque divinum factum; factum illustre et gloriosum, etc.

incorrupta rerum fides genuine historical truth. ad historiam (scribendam) se conferre or se to devote oneself to writing history. applicare homo in historia diligens a conscientious historian. (rerum to be well versed in Roman history. memoriam rerum gestarum Romanarum) tenere domestica (externa) nosse to be acquainted with the history of one's own land. temporum ratio, descriptio, ordo chronology. to observe the chronological order of events. temporum ordinem servare to observe the chronological order of events. servare et notare tempora res temporum ordine servato narrare to narrate events in the order of their occurrence. temporibus errare (Phil. 2. 9. 23) to make a chronological mistake. ad temporum rationem aliquid revocare to calculate the date of an event. diligentem esse in exquirendis temporibus to be exact in calculating dates. terrarum regionum descriptio geography. (geographia) Africae situm paucis exponere to give a brief exposition of the geography of Africa. regionum terrestrium aut maritimarum geographical knowledge. scientia mathematica (-ae) or geometria (-ae), mathematics. geometrica (-orum) (Tusc. 1. 24. 57) mathematicorum ratione concludere aliquid to draw a mathematical conclusion. formas (not figuras) geometricas describere to draw geometrical figures. se conferre ad naturae investigationem to devote oneself to the study of a natural science. astrologia (pure Latin sidera, caelestia) astronomy. spectator siderum, rerum caelestium or an astronomer.

15. Art in General

arithmetica 136 (-orum)

bis bina quot sint non didicisse

astrologus 135

numeri (-orum)

artis opus; opus arte factum or perfectum opus summo artificio factum

opus omnibus numeris absolutum

artem exercere

a work of art.

arithmetic.

arithmetic.

a master-piece of classical work. a master-piece of classical work.

to be absolutely ignorant of arithmetic.

to follow an artistic profession, practise an art.

It is only in later Latin after *astrologus* had acquired the meaning of astrologer, magician, that *astronomus* came to be used (= astronomer).

In Cicero always neut. plur., e.g. *in arithmeticis satis versatus*; later writers use the fem. sing. The pure Latin word is *numeri*, cf. <u>De Fin. 1. 21. 72</u> *an ille se, ut Plato, in musicis, geometria, numeris, astris contereret?* So <u>De Fin. 5. 29. 87</u> *cur Plato Aegyptum peragravit, ut a sacerdotibus barbaris numeros et caelestia acciperet?* Cf. <u>Nägelsb. Lat. Stil. p. 46</u>.

Transcriber's Note: The original text has *opus summo artifico factum*. But that is wrong as can be seen from the French edition using *opus summo artificio factum*.

artem tradere, docere artem profiteri artium (liberalium) studium, or simply studium artis praecepta, or also simply ars (artis, artium) intellegens, peritus 138 (opp. *idiota*, a layman) existimator (doctus, intellegens, acerrimus) in existimantium arbitrium venire (Brut. 24.

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iudicium facere sensum, iudicium habere

elegantia in illo est

iudicium subtile, exquisitum, elegans, intellegens

iudicium acuere abhorrere ab artibus (opp. delectari artibus) veritatem 139 imitari (Div. 1. 13. 23)

in omni re vincit imitationem veritas aliquid ad verum exprimere morum ac vitae imitatio aliquid e vita ductum est

to teach an art. to profess an art. a taste for the fine arts.

the rules of art; aesthetics. a connoisseur; a specialist.

a (competent, intelligent, subtle) critic. to come before the tribunal of the critics.

to criticise.

to be a man of taste.

he possesses sound judgment in matters of

good taste; delicate perception.

to cultivate one's powers of criticism. to have no taste for the fine arts.

(1) to make a lifelike natural representation of a thing (used of the artist); (2) to be lifelike (of a work of art).

in everything nature defies imitation. to make a copy true to nature. a lifelike picture of everyday life. a thing is taken from life.

16. Poetry—Music—Painting—Sculpture

poema condere, facere, componere to write poetry. versus facere, scribere to write poetry.

carmina, versus fundere (De Or. 3. 50) to write poetry with facility.

carmen epicum epic poetry.

an epic, heroic poet. poeta epicus poesis scaenica dramatic poetry. poeta scaenicus a dramatic poet.

scriptor tragoediarum, comoediarum, also a writer of tragedy, comedy.

(poeta) tragicus, comicus 140

scriptor fabularum 141 a writer of fables. to feel inspired. divino quodam instinctu concitari, ferri (Div.

1. 31. 66)

carmen recitare

divino quodam spiritu inflatus or tactus

carmen, versum agere

inspired.

to recite a poem, line with appropriate

action.

to read a piece of verse with expression.

idiota = properly uninitiated, not the same as rudis, indoctus, imperitus.

veritas means not merely truth (opp. mendacium), but also reality (opp. opinio, imitatio). Thus we often find the combination res et veritas ipsa (Tusc. 5. 5. 13), natura rerum et ipsa veritas.

tragicus, comicus as adjectives = occurring in tragedy, comedy—e.g. Orestes tragicus; senes *comici*. Comic in the ordinary sense = *ridiculus*, c.f. *homo ridiculus*.

Not *fabulator*, which = a gossip, teller of anecdotes.

carmen pronuntiare carmen inconditum

se conferre ad poesis studium

poetica laude florere

poesis genus ad Romanos transferre

alicuius laudes versibus persequi

alicuius laudes (virtutes) canere

alicuius res gestas versibus ornare, celebrare

ut ait Homerus

numerus poetice vinctus

artem musicam 142 discere, tractare

nervorum et tibiarum cantus

vocum et fidium (nervorum) cantus

docere aliquem fidibus

fidibus discere (De Sen. 8. 26)

fidibus canere

pellere nervos in fidibus

tibias inflare

tibiis or *tibiā canere*

ad tibiam or ad tibicinem canere

(homo) symphoniacus

symphōnīa canit (Verr. 3. 44. 105)

acroāma 143

modi (De Or. 1. 42. 187)

modos facere numerus, numeri numerose cadere

ars pingendi, pictura (De Or. 2. 16. 69)

ars fingendi

signa et tabulae (pictae) simulacrum e marmore facere

statuas 144 inscribere (Verr. 2. 69. 167)

to recite a piece of verse (without gestures). a rough poem; an extempore effusion.

to devote oneself to poetry. to be distinguished as a poet.

to transplant to Rome one of the branches of poesy.

to sing the praises of some one (not *canere aliquem*)

to sing the praises of some one (not *canere aliquem*)

to celebrate some one's exploits in song.

as Homer sings (not canit).

poetical rhythm. to learn, study music. instrumental music.

vocal and instrumental music.

to teach some one to play a stringed

instrument.

to learn to play a stringed instrument.

to play on the lyre.

to strike the strings of the lyre.

to play the flute. to play the flute.

to sing to a flute accompaniment. a singer, member of a choir. the orchestra is playing.

a professional performer.

the melody.

to compose, put to music.

the tune; rhythm.

to have a rhythmical cadence.

the art of painting. the art of sculpture. statues and pictures. to make a marble statue. to put an inscription on statues.

17. The Drama

ars ludicra (De Or. 2. 20. 84) fabula, ludus scaenicus argumentum actio actus

the dramatic art. the piece; the play. the plot of the piece. the treatment of the piece.

an act.

fabulam docere (διδάσκειν) (of the writer) to get a piece played, rehearse it.

musica (-orum) is also used for music, cf. in musicis se conterere.

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acroama = originally anything performed to give pleasure, then a performer. The Greeks applied the term to music; the Romans used it of any professional performer who entertained guests while at table.

statua is not used of statues of the gods, but signum, simulacrum.

(opp. fabulam discere—to study a piece, of the actor) fabulam agere to act a play (said of the actors). fabulam edere to bring out a play, put it on the stage (used of the man who finds the money). fabulam dare to produce a play (of the writer). in scaenam producere aliquem to introduce a character on the stage. in scaenam prodire to come upon the stage. in scaenam redire to reappear on the stage. de scaena decedere to retire from the stage. in scaenam aliquid inducere to bring a thing upon the stage. familia, grex, caterva histrionum a theatrical company. dominus gregis the manager. theatrum 145 the playhouse. theatra reclamant the spectators protest. to have an appreciative audience. populum facilem, aequum habere plaudere (not applaudere) to applaud, clap a person. plausum dare (alicui) to applaud, clap a person. clamores (coronae) facere, excitare to elicit loud applause. saepius revocatur (Liv. 7. 2. 9) he is encored several times. fabulam exigere (Ter. Andr. Pol.) to hiss a play. a piece is a failure, falls flat. fabula cadit to hiss an actor off the stage. histrionem exsibilare, explodere, eicere, exigere histrioni acclamare 146 to interrupt an actor by hooting him. partes agere alicuius 147 to play the part of some one. agere servum, lenonem to act the rôle of a slave, pander. actor primarum (secundarum, tertiarum) the actor who plays the leading part. partium tragoedia or fabula Antigona (not Antigona the Antigone. *traq.* or *fab.*) in Sophoclis (not Sophoclea) Aiace or apud in Sophocles' Ajax. Sophoclem in Aiace caterva, chorus the Chorus in Tragedy. carmen chori, canticum a choric ode in a tragedy. loci melici the lyric portions of a tragedy.

ludos apparare

ludi circenses, scaenici

diverbium

canticum

theatrum = (1) the playhouse, theatre; (2) the audience, house. It is used metaphorically for the sphere of activity, theatre, scene, e.g. theatrum magnum habet ista provincia (Cic.); nullum theatrum virtuti conscientia majus (ibid.)

stage dialogue.

perfomances.

to institute games.

performances in the circus;

a choric ode.

theatrical

Livy is the first writer who uses *acclamare* in a good sense.

Also used metaphorically of the part played in life, e.g. *partes suscipere, sustinere, dare, tribuere, defendere, tueri.* Similarly *persona* (properly mask) is used in several phrases, e.g. *personam alicuius agere, ferre, tenere*; *personam suscipere* or *induere*; *personam tueri* (<u>Phil. 8. 10</u>); *personam alicui imponere* (<u>Sull. 3. 8</u>). *persona* thus got the meaning of personality, individuality, character, and lastly in a concrete sense a personage of distinction. N.B.—It never represents our "person," cf. many persons were present, *multi (homines) aderant*.

ludos facere, edere (Iovi)

ludos instaurare

munus gladiatorium edere, dare (or simply

munus edere, dare)

gladiatores dare

familia 148 gladiatoria (Sest. 64. 134)

ludus gladiatorius

gladiatoribus (Att. 2. 19. 3)

celebritas ludorum magnificentia ludorum ludi apparatissimi

Iudi Olympia (not Iudi Olympici), Pythia

Olympia vincere (Ολύμπια νικαν)

ludi gymnici certamina gymnica

stadium currere (Off. 3. 10. 42)

to give public games in honour of Jupiter.

to revive public games. to give a gladiatorial show.

to give a gladiatorial show.

a band, troupe of gladiators under the

management of a lanista. a school for gladiators.

at the gladiatorial games.

crowded games.

sumptuous public games. sumptuous public games. the Olympian, Pythian games.

to win a prize at the Olympian games.

gymnastic contests. gymnastic contests. to run a foot-race.

VIII. Speech and Writing

1. Speech in General

ars dicendi

ad dicendum se conferre dicendi 149 praecepta tradere

rhetor, dicendi magister

facultas dicendi

natum, factum esse ad dicendum

facilem et expeditum esse ad dicendum to be a ready, fluent speaker.

(Brut. 48. 180)

rudem, tironem ac rudem (opp. exercitatum) to be an inexperienced speaker.

esse in dicendo

disertum esse (De Or. 1. 21. 94)

eloquentem esse (De Or. 1. 21. 94)

eloquentia valere dicendi arte florere

eloquentiae laude florere

vis dicendi

multum dicendo valere, posse eloquentiae principatum tenere

primum or principem inter oratores locum to be considered the foremost orator.

obtinere

oratorum principem esse

the art of speaking; oratory. to devote oneself to oratory.

to teach rhetoric. a teacher of rhetoric. oratorical talent.

to be a born orator.

to be fluent.

to be a capable, finished speaker.

to be very eloquent. to be very eloquent.

to be a distinguished orator.

oratorical power.

to have great weight as a speaker. to be considered the foremost orator.

to be considered the foremost orator.

Hence familiam ducere, metaphorically to be at the head of a movement, to play the leading part, e.g. in iure civili (Cic.) For other phrases drawn from the wrestling-school vid. ix. 6.

Note the way in which the Latin language prefers a concrete expression in the plural to represent our abstract "rhetoric," cf. musica (-orum), astra, numeri, soni = music, astronomy, arithmetic, acoustics (vid. vii. 14).

orationem conficere orationem commentari (Fam. 16. 26) oratio meditata (Plin. 26. 3. 7) subito, ex tempore (opp. ex praeparato) dicere oratio subita oratio perpetua oratio accurata 150 et polita oratio composita contentio (opp. sermo) (Off. 2. 48) copiose dicere ornate dicere libere dicere (Verr. 2. 72. 176) plane, aperte dicere perspicue, diserte dicere missis ambagibus dicere accommodate ad persuadendum dicere

verba facere apud ¹⁵² populum, in contione in contionem (in rostra) escendere ¹⁵³ (only of Romans) orationem habere (Tusc. 5. 33. 94) initium dicendi facere finem dicendi facere perorare

animos audientium permovere, inflammare animos tenere audientiam sibi (orationi) facere solutum et expeditum esse ad dicendum lingua promptum esse celeritas in respondendo bonis lateribus ¹⁵⁴ esse linguae solutio to compose a speech. to prepare, get up a speech. a prepared speech.

an extempore speech. a continuous discourse. a carefully prepared speech.

an elaborate speech.

to speak extempore.

pathetic address; emotional language.

to speak very fluently. to speak well, elegantly. to speak frankly, indeper

to speak frankly, independently. to speak openly, straightforwardly. to speak in clear, expressive language.

to speak without circumlocution. to be a persuasive speaker.

to come forward to make a speech; to address the house.

to address a meeting of the people.

to mount the rostra.

to make a speech. to begin to speak. to cease speaking.

(1) to make one's peroration; (2) to deliver the closing speech (in a case where several speeches have been made).

to make an impression on one's audience.

to rivet the attention of...

to obtain a hearing.

to be never at a loss for something to say.

to have a ready tongue.

readiness in debate, in repartee.

to have good lungs.

volubility.

2. Style-Expression

aggredi ad dicendum 151

genus dicendi (scribendi); oratio 155

style.

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accuratus is only used of things, never of persons.

surgere ad dicendum is only used of some one who has been till now seated (<u>De Or. 2. 78. 316</u>).

apud is used of appearing before an official assembly, e.g. apud populum, apud senatum, apud iudices. coram is used of an informal casual meeting.

escendere is more common than ascendere, cf. in contionem escendere (Cic. Att. 4. 2. 3; Liv. 2. 7. 7, etc. etc.) Similarly in rostra escendere (Cic. Liv.), in tribunal escendere (Liv.) Later suggestum, rostra escendere (Tac. Ann. 15. 59; ibid. 13. 5.).

latus is never used in the singular in good Latin with the meaning "lungs,", "breath," "vigour," cf. Cic. iam me dies, vox, latera deficient si... In a somewhat similar way lacerti is used of oratorical vigour, e.g. ipse hastas...oratoris lacertis viribusque torquebit (De Or. 1. 57. 242).

genus dicendi grave or grande, medium, elevated, moderate, plain style. tenue 156 (cf. Or. 5. 20; 6. 21) fusum orationis genus a running style. a rough, unpolished style. inconditum dicendi genus (Brut. 69. 242) inflatum orationis genus a bombastic style. oratio altius exaggerata a bombastic style. elatio atque altitudo orationis the exalted strain of the speech. to take a higher tone (especially of poets exsurgere altius or incitatius ferri and orators). (1) to speak vehemently, passionately; (2) magnifice loqui, dicere to speak pompously, boastfully. magniloquentia, granditas verborum pathos; passion. tragoediae tragic pathos. expedita et facile currens oratio an easy, fluent style. oratio aequabiliter fluens an easy, fluent style. flumen 157 orationis (De Or. 2. 15. 62) flow of oratory. siccitas, sanitas orationis the plain style. verborum tenuitias, oratio subtilis the plain style. oratio exilis, ieiuna, arida, exsanguis the dry, lifeless style. ornatus orationis, verborum well-chosen language, grace of style. elegantia orationis tasteful description. oratio pura, pura et emendata pure, correct language. integritas, sinceritas orationis (not puritas) purity of style. oratio inquinata 158 (De Opt. Gen. Or. 3. 7) incorrect language. orationes Catonis antiquitatem redolent Cato's speeches sound archaic. (Brut. 21. 82) there is a flavour of Atticism about his ex illius orationibus ipsae Athenae redolent discourse. oratio soluta (not prosa) or simply oratio prose. oratio numerose cadit his style has a well-balanced cadence. numeris orationem astringere, vincire to make a speech rhythmical. *lumina, flores dicendi* (De Or. 3. 25. 96) flowers of rhetoric; embellishments of style. sententias (verbis) explicare, aperire to explain one's sentiments. *sententiae reconditae ex exquisitae* (Brut. profound sentiments. 97. 274) ubertas (not divitiae) et copia orationis a full and copious style of speech. richness of ideas. crebritas or copia (opp. inopia) sententiarum

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or simply *copia*

sententiis inanis)

sententiis abundans 159

rich in ideas.

or *creber* (opp.

Not *stilus*, which means the writing instrument, the stylus, hence the expression *stilum vertere* (Verr. 2. 3. 41), to erase what has been written. Metaphorically it denotes—(1) the action of writing, e.g. *stilus optimus est et praestantissimus dicendi effector et magister*, (2) the manner of writing, mode of composition, e.g. *unus enim sonus est totius orationis et idem stilus*.

Speeches belong according to their subject-matter to *genus deliberativum* (συμβουλευτικόν), *genus iudicale* (δικανικόν), or *genus demonstrativum* (έπιδεικτικόν), cf. <u>Cic. de Inv. 1. 5. 7</u>; <u>Arist. Rhet. bk. iii</u>.

On the other hand, *oratio fluit* (De Or. 3. 49. 190) = the language has no rhythm.

Not *impura*, which means unchaste, obscene.

adumbrare aliquid (Or. 14. 43) to roughly sketch a thing. exprimere aliquid verbis or oratione (vid. to express clearly, make a lifelike sect. VI. 3, note *adumbrare...*) representation of a thing. exponere aliquid or de aliqua re to give an account of a thing (either orally or in writing). the connection. sententiae inter se nexae perpetuitas verborum the connection. contextus orationis (not nexus, conexus the connection. sententiarum) ratio sententiarum the connection of thought. ratio, qua sententiae inter se excipiunt. the connection of thought. vitam alicuius exponere to give an account of a man's life. vitam alicuius depingere to make a sketch of a man's life. de ingenio moribusque alicuius exponere to make a character-sketch of a person. summo colore aliquid illustrare to depict a thing in lively colours. ante oculos ponere aliquid to bring a thing vividly before the eyes. oculis or sub oculos, sub aspectum subicere to represent a thing vividly. aliquid rerum sub aspectum paene subjectio (De Or. graphic depiction. 3. 53. 202) perlustrare, lustrare oculis aliquid to scrutinise, examine closely. sic exponere aliquid, quasi agatur res (non to represent a thing dramatically. quasi narretur) aliquem disputantem facere, to introduce a person (into a dialogue) inducere, fingere (est aliguid apud aliquem discoursing on... disputans) in uno conspectu ponere aliquid to give a general idea of a thing. sub unum aspectum subicere aliquid to give a general idea of a thing. in brevi conspectu ponere aliquid to make a short survey of a thing. uno conspectu videre aliquid to have a general idea of a thing. breviter tangere, attingere aliquid to touch briefly on a thing. leviter to make a cursory mention of a thing; to strictim, tangere, attingere, mention by the way (not obiter or in perstringere aliquid transcursu). quasi praeteriens, in transitu attingere to make a cursory mention of a thing; to aliquid mention by the way (not obiter or in transcursu). to dwell only on the main points. res summas attingere to dwell only on the main points. summatim aliquid exponere to go deeply into a matter, discuss it fully. multa verba facere multum, nimium esse (in aliqua re) (De Or. to go deeply into a matter, discuss it fully. 2. 4. 17) pluribus verbis, copiosius explicare, persequi to give a full, detailed account of a thing. fusius, uberius, copiosius disputare, dicere to speak at great length on a subject, de aliqua re discuss very fully. breviter, paucis explicare aliquid to explain a matter briefly, in a few words

persequi is often used in the meaning to expound, treat of either orally or in writing, e.g. alicuius vitam, alicuius laudes versibus, res Hannibalis.

Not *dives* which Cicero uses only absolutely and almost always of persons, cf. however *animus* hominis dives (Parad. 6. 44), divitior mihi et affluentior videtur esse vera amicitia (De Am. 16. 58).

rem paucis absolvere (Sall. Iug. 17. 2)

rebus ipsis par est oratio

rebus verba respondent

copiam quam potui persecutus sum verbis non omnia exsequi posse in medium proferre aliquid in medio ponere (proponere)

silentio praeterire (not praetermittere)

aliquid

significare aliquem or aliquid significatione appellare aliquem describere aliquem (Cael. 20. 50)

leviter significare aliquid

ordine narrare, quomodo res gesta sit

dicendo ornare aliquid

rhetorice, tragice ornare aliquid (Brut. 11.

digressus, digressio, egressio quod ornandi causa additum est includere in orationem aliquid inserere orationi aliquid

interponere aliquid (De Am. 1. 3) dicendo augere, amplificare aliquid (opp.

dicendo extenuare aliquid)

in maius ferre, in maius extollere aliquid

in maius accipere aliquid

digredi (a proposito) (De Or. 2. 77. 311)

studio alicuius rei provectus sum

longe, alte (longius, altius) repetere (either

absolute or *ab aliqua re*)

oratio longius repetita (De Or. 3. 24. 91)

accedere ad cotidiani sermonis genus

ad vulgarem sensum or ad communem opinionem orationem accommodare (Off.

2. 10. 35)

(not paucis verbis).

to explain a matter briefly, in a few words (not *paucis verbis*).

the circumstances are described in language worthy of them.

the circumstances are described in language worthy of them.

I have exhausted all my material. to be unable to say all one wants.

to bring a subject forward into discussion.

to publish, make public.

to pass over in silence.

to allude to a person or thing (not alludere).

to allude to a person or thing (not alludere).

to allude to a person or thing (not alludere).

to hint vaguely at a thing.

to detail the whole history of an affair.

to embellish a narrative.

to add rhetorical, dramatic embellishments to a subject.

a digression, episode.

a digression, episode.

to interpolate, insert something.

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to lend lustre to a subject by one's description.

to exaggerate a thing.

to overestimate a thing.

to digress, deviate.

my zeal for a thing has led me too far.

to go a long way back (in narrative).

a rather recondite speech.

to adopt the language of everyday life.

to express oneself in popular language.

3. Delivery—Voice

actio (Brut. 38) pronuntiatio ¹⁶¹ c. Gen. actio paulum claudicat ¹⁶² haerere, haesitare (Catil. 2. 6. 13) delivery.

artistic delivery; declamation.

the delivery is rather halting, poor.

to stop short, hesitate.

Not *declamatio* which = an oratorical exercise. Distinguish *pronuntiare* (<u>De Or. 1. 59. 251</u>), to declaim a thing according to the rules of rhetoric; and *declamare* = to go through rhetorical exercises as a practice in speaking.

⁶² claudicare often metaph. of things which are unequal, weak, e.g. *amicitia claudicat* (<u>Fin. 1. 69</u>).

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perturbari, permoveri de scripto orationem 163 habere, dicere (opp. sine scripto, ex memoria) interpellare aliquem (dicentem) vox magna, clara (Sulla 10. 30) vox gravis, acuta, parva, mediocris vox canora (Brut. 63. 234) vox lenis, suppressa, summissa vocem mittere (sonitum reddere of things) vocem summittere contentio, remissio vocis vocem intercludere (Just. 11. 8. 4) nulla vox est ab eo audita magna voce clamare clamorem tollere (Liv. 3. 28) gestum (always in the sing.) agere

to be nervous, embarrassed. to read a speech.

to interrupt.

a strong, loud voice.

a deep, high, thin, moderate voice.

a melodious, ringing voice. a gentle, subdued voice. to speak, utter a sound.

to lower one's voice.

raising, lowering the voice.

to prevent some one from speaking.

no sound passed his lips.

to shout at the top of one's voice.

to raise a shout, a cry.

to gesticulate.

4. Subject-Matter—Argument

non habeo argumentum scribendi deest mihi argumentum ad scribendum (Att. I have nothing to write about. 9.7.7)

non habeo, non est quod scribam res (opp. verba) mihi suppetit materia mihi crescit res componere ac digerere dispositio rerum (De Inv. 1. 7. 9) materia rerum et copia uberrima infinita et immensa materia materiem ad ornatum praebere

id quod (mihi) propositum est res proposita id quod quaerimus (quaeritur) institutum or id quod institui a proposito aberrare, declinare, deflectere, digredi, egredi

ad propositum reverti, redire ad rem redire

sed redeat, unde aberravit oratio

sed ad id, unde digressi sumus, revertamur

verum ut ad id, unde digressa est oratio, revertamur

mihi propositum est c. Inf. (or mihi proposui, ut)

ponere

I have nothing to write about.

I have nothing to write about. I have abundance to say. my subject grows as I write.

to arrange and divide the subject-matter. the arrangement of the subject-matter.

abundance of material. abundance of material.

afford matter for elaboration, embellishment.

a theme, subject proposed for discussion. a theme, subject proposed for discussion.

a theme, subject proposed for discussion.

a theme, subject proposed for discussion.

to digress from the point at issue.

to come back to the point. to come back to the point.

but to return from the digression we have been making.

but to return from the digression we have been making.

but to return from the digression we have been making.

the task I have put before myself is...

to propose, set a theme.

¹⁶³ But to read a speech *orationem legere* (<u>Brut. 51. 191</u>); to read with expression, *recitare* (<u>Phil. 10.2.</u> <u>5</u>).

ponere alicui, de quo disputet ponere iubere, qua de re quis audire velit to let those present fix any subject they like (Fin. 2. 1. 1)

to set some one a theme for discussion. for discussion.

5. Question—Answer

quaestionem ponere, proponere

quaestionem poscere (Fin. 2. 1. 1) hoc loco exsistit quaestio, quaeritur

nunc id quaeritur, agitur

res, de qua nunc quaerimus, quaeritur

magna quaestio est (followed by an indirect question)

quaerendum esse mihi visum est

quaestionem solvere quaestio ad exitum venit ad interrogata respondere 164

bene interrogare

percontanti non deesse (De Or. 1. 21. 97) responsum ab aliquo ferre, auferre respondere in hanc sententiam 165

to propose a subject of debate, put a auestion.

to get a question submitted to one. at this point the question arises.

the question now is... the question at issue.

it is a difficult point, disputed question.

the question has forced itself on my mind.

to decide, determine a question. the question has been settled.

to answer questions.

to cross-examine cleverly, put leading questions.

to answer every question.

to extract an answer from some one.

to answer to this effect.

6. Humour—Earnest

ioco uti (Off. 1. 29. 103)

haec iocatus sum, per iocum dixi animo prompto esse ad iocandum extra iocum, remoto ioco (Fam. 7. 11. 3)

facete dicere

facetiis uti, facetum esse facete et commode dicere breviter et commode dictum

facete dictum

arcessitum dictum (De Or. 2. 63. 256)

dicta dicere in aliquem

aspergere sales orationi (Or. 26. 87)

aliquid ad ridiculum convertere

(homo) ridiculus (Plaut. Stich. 1. 3. 21)

lepos in iocando

iucunde esse (Deiot. 7. 19)

se dare iucunditati

sibi displicere (opp. sibi placere)

ioca et seria agere

to make a joke. I said it in jest.

to be humorously inclined.

joking apart. to be witty.

to make witty remarks.

to indulge in apt witticisms.

a short, pointed witticism.

a witticism, bon mot.

a far-fetched joke.

to make jokes on a person.

to intersperse one's speech with humorous remarks.

to make a joke of a thing.

a wit; a joker.

humour.

to be in a good temper.

to let oneself be jovial.

to be in a bad temper.

to be now jesting, now in earnest.

Note to answer (a thing) *respondere ad aliquid* or *alicui rei*, to answer (a person) always *alicui*. So dicere alicui to speak to a person, but scribere ad aliquem.

responsum dare only of answers given by oracles or lawyers.

serio dicere (Plaut. Bacch. 1. 1. 42) severitatem adhibere ineptum esse (De Or. 2. 4. 17) nimium diligentem esse 166

to say in earnest... to show that one is serious. to be silly, without tact. to be pedantic.

7. Language—Use of Language—Translation—Grammar

uberior) est

commercium linguae

volubilitas, solutio linguae

vitium orationis, sermonis or simply vitium

saepe (crebro, multa) peccavit, erravit,

lapsus est

eiusdem linguae societate coniunctum esse to be united by having a common language.

cum aliquo (De Or. 3. 59. 223)

orationis expertem esse

sermo patrius (Fin. 1. 2. 4) consuetudo sermonis, loquendi

cotidiani sermonis usus

communis sermonis consuetudo

sermo familiaris et cotidianus

aliquid a consuetudine sermonis latini the expression is not in accordance with

abhorret, alienum est

consuetudo vitiosa et corrupta (opp. pura et incorrect usage.

incorrupta) sermonis

incorrupta latini sermonis integritas 167 (Brut. pure, correct Latin.

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sermo latinus (opp. sermo parum latinus) good Latin.

(cf. sect. VII. 2., note For the use of adverbs...)

latine loqui (Brut. 45. 166)

graece or graeca lingua loqui

latinam linguam scire or *didicisse*

latine scire

latine commentari

aliquid e graeco in latinum (sermonem) to translate from Greek into Latin.

convertere, vertere, transferre

Platonem vertere, convertere ab or de (not ex) Platone vertere, to translate from Plato.

convertere, transferre

lingua graeca latinā locupletior (copiosior, the Greek language is a richer one than the

Latin.

intercourse of speech.

volubility.

a mistake, solecism.

he has made several mistakes.

to be unable to express one's ideas.

native tongue; vernacular.

to usage of language.

the ordinary usage of language, everyday

speech.

the ordinary usage of language, everyday

speech.

the ordinary usage of language, everyday

speech.

Latin usage.

(1) to speak Latin, (2) to speak good Latin (also bene latine), (3) to express oneself

clearly.

to speak the Greek language.

to know Latin.

to know Latin.

to write treatises in Latin.

to translate Plato.

Cf. Cic. ad Herenn. 4. 12. 17 latinitas est quae sermonem purum conservat ab omni vitio remotum.

Such words as "pedantry," "pedant" can be expressed very variously in Latin, cf. N. D. 3. 31. 71 posse acerbos e Zenonis schola exire; Pro Mur. 9. 19 multorum difficultatem exsorbuit; Brut. 38. 143 erat in Crasso latine loquendi sine molestia diligens elegantia.

ex Platonis Phaedone haec in latinum what follows has been translated into Latin from Plato's Phaedo. conversa sunt

aliquid (graeca) latine reddere or sermone to render something into Latin.

latino interpretari

to translate literally, word for word (not ad verbum transferre, exprimere

verbo tenus).

verbum e verbo exprimere to translate literally, word for word (not

verbo tenus).

to translate literally, word for word (not verbum pro verbo reddere

verbo tenus).

to translate literally, word for word (not totidem verbis transferre

verbo tenus).

his fere verbis, hoc fere modo convertere, to translate freely.

transferre

liber (scriptoris) conversus, translatus the work when translated; translation

(concrete).

translatio (not versio or the process of translation. interpretatio,

conversio)

interpres the translator.

the rules of speech, grammar. leges dicendi praecepta 168 the rules of speech, grammar. grammaticorum

grammaticus 169 (De Or. 1. 3. 10) a linguist, philologian.

emendate scribere to write correctly, in faultless style.

latine scribere 170 (Opt. Gen. Or. 2. 4) to write good Latin.

8. Sentence—Period—Words—Proverbs—Syllables

enuntiatio, enuntiatum, sententia the sentence, proposition. the structure of the sentence. compositio, structura verborum

ambitus, circuitus, comprehensio, the period. continuatio (verborum, *orationis)*, also

simply *periodus*

constructio, structura verborum, forma the construction.

dicendi

adiungi, addi coniunctivo (Marc. Cap. 3. 83) to be used with the conjunctive mood.

copia, ubertas verborum profusion of words. verbis abundantem esse, abundare to be rich in words.

inopia verborum poverty of expression.

lectissimis verbis uti (De Or. 3. 37) to employ carefully chosen expressions. obsolete, ambiguous expressions.

prisca, obsoleta (opp. usitata), ambigua

verba

locutio (Brut. 74. 258) a phrase.

nominally; really. verbo, nomine; re, re quidem vera

si verba spectas literally.

Not *regula*, which means a level, standard, e.g. *regula ad quam iudicia rerum diriguntur* (Cic.)

The adverb *grammatice* is used with *loqui, scribere* = to speak, write correctly; *grammatista* and also litterator are used of elementary teachers.

Cf. latine docere philosophiam, to teach philosophy in Latin; Fin. 3. 12. 40 latine scire, to know Latin. (cf. έλληνιστὶ ξυνιέναι Xen. Anab. 7. 6. 8). Also latine didicisse, latine oblivisci (Caec. 22. 62), in which Dräger supposes an ellipse of *loqui* or *dicere*.

verbis alicuius, e.g. salutare (Liv. 9. 36) in some one's name; on some one's behalf (not nomine alicuius). these are mere empty phrases. haec verba sunt (Ter. Phorm. 3. 2. 32) inanis verborum sonitus mere words; empty sound. inanium verborum flumen senseless rant. fine, rhetorical phrases. flosculi, rhetorum pompa voces iacere (Sall. Iug. 11) to let fall an expression. nullum (omnino) verbum facere to not say a word. ne verbum (without unum) quidem de aliquo to say not a syllable about a person. facere verba facere (de aliqua re, apud aliquem) to speak on a subject. verbum ex aliquo elicere to extract a word from some one. verbis concertare or altercari cum aliquo (B. to hold an altercation with a man. C. 3. 19. 6) verborum concertatio an altercation, debate. to say only a few words. pauca dicere (pauca verba dicere only of the orator) omnia verba huc redeunt all this means to say. nullum verbum ex ore eius excidit (or simply no word escaped him. ei) verbo parum valere (Tusc. 3. 5. 11) to unable to find a suitable expression. verbum prorsus nullum intellegere not to understand a single word. huic rei deest apud nos vocabulum we have no expression for that. inducere novum verbum in latinam linguam to introduce a new word into the Latin language. verba parere, fingere, facere to invent, form words. nominum interpretatio etymology (not etymologia). vocabulum, 171 to form, derive a word from... (used of the verbum, nomen ducere ab, man who first creates the word). to derive a word from... (used of an verbum ductum esse a...putare etymologist). originem verbi repetere a... to derive a word from... (used of an etymologist). verborum origines to give the etymological explanation of *nomina enodare* or quaerere, indagare words. nomen amicitiae (or simply amicitia) dicitur the word amicitia comes from amare. ab amando in aliqua re dici to be used in speaking of a thing. what is the meaning, the original sense of quid significat, sonat haec vox? this word? quae est vis huius verbi? what is the meaning, the original sense of this word? quae notio or sententia subiecta est huic what is the meaning, the original sense of voci? this word? vis et notio verbi, vocabuli the fundamental meaning of a word. vox, nomen carendi or simply carere hoc the word carere means... significat (Tusc. 1. 36. 88) what do we understand by "a wise man"? quem intellegimus sapientem? quae intellegitur virtus what do we mean by "virtue"?

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verbum derivare means to form new words from words which exist already, e.g. by adding a syllable, *Atrides* from *Atreus*. For word-building, cf. <u>Cic. De Or. 3. 37 and 38</u>; <u>Hor. A. P. 46</u>.

quid est virtus? what do we mean by "virtue"? idem valere, significare, declarare to have the same meaning. vocabula idem fere declarantia synonyms. the word has a more extended signification. vocabulum latius patet vocabulum angustius valet the word has a narrow meaning. iracundiam sic (ita) definiunt, ut ulciscendi anger is defined as a passionate desire for libidinem esse dicant or ut u. libido sit or revenge. iracundiam sic definiunt, ulc. libidinem in bonam (malam) partem accipere aliquid to take a thing in good (bad) part. aemulatio dupliciter dicitur, ut et in laude et the word aemulatio is employed with two meanings, in a good and a bad sense. in vitio hoc nomen sit verba ac litteras or scriptum (legis) segui to hold by the letter (of the law). (opp. sententia the spirit) hoc vocabulum generis neutri (not neutrius) this word is neuter. est) the order of words. ordo verborum (Or. 63. 214) vocabulum proprium the proper term; a word used strictly. verbum translatum (Or. 27. 92) figurative expression; a word used metaphorically. a metaphor. translatio verba composita 172 well-arranged words. verborum immutatio a trope; metonymy. continua translatio (Or. 27. 94) an allegory; continuous metaphor. simili uti to employ a comparison, simile. dissimulatio (Off. 1. 30. 108) irony. vetus (verbum) est (c. Acc. c. Inf.) it was said long ago that... ut est in proverbio as the proverb says. ut or quod or quomodo aiunt, ut or as the proverb says. quemadmodum dicitur *in proverbii consuetudinem* or simply *in* to pass into a proverb. proverbium venire proverbii locum obtinere (Tusc. 4. 16. 36) to be used as a proverb. hoc est Graecis hominibus in proverbio this is a proverb among the Greeks. bene illo Graecorum proverbio praecipitur that Greek proverb contains an excellent lesson. vetamur vetere proverbio an old proverb tells us not to... proverbium vetustate or sermone tritum an old proverb which every one knows. (vid. sect. II. 3, note tritus...) *syllabam, litteram producere* (opp. *corripere*) to lengthen the pronunciation of a syllable or (Quintil. 9. 4. 89) letter. haec vox longa syllaba terminatur, in longam this word ends in a long syllable. syllabam cadit, exit oriri a longa (De Or. 1. 55. 236) to begin with a long syllable. syllabarum auceps a verbal, petty critic; a caviller. minute, pedantic carping at words. verborum aucupium or captatio to pronounce the syllables distinctly. litteras exprimere (opp. obscurare) ad litteram, litterate to the letter; literally. litterarum 173 ordo the alphabet.

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litterae, elementa

the alphabet.

¹⁷³ Cf. *quarta elementorum littera*, the fourth letter of the alphabet (<u>Suet. Iul. 56</u>).

Compound words = *verba copulata, iuncta* (Or. 48. 159), *coniuncta*, cf. Cic. De Or. 3. 38. 154.

to arrange in alphabetical order.

9. Writing—Writers—Books

litteris mandare or *consignare aliquid* (Acad. to put down in writing.

2. 1. 2)

litteris persequi (vid. sect. VIII. 2, note to treat in writing.

persequi...) aliquid

scriptor (not auctor = guarantor)

scribere

ad scribendum or ad scribendi studium se

conferre

animum ad scribendum appellere, applicare

librum scribere, conscribere

librum conficere, componere (De Sen. 1. 2)

librum edere (Div. 1. 3. 6) librum evolvere, volvere volumen explicare

librum mittere ad aliquem (Fin. 1. 3. 8)

index, inscriptio 174 libri

liber inscribitur ¹⁷⁵ Laelius (Off. 2. 9. 30)

Cicero dicit in Laelio (suo) or in eo (not suo)

libro, qui inscribitur Laelius

est liber de...

exstat liber (notice the order of the words)

liber intercidit, periit liber deperditus liber perditus

liber qui fertur alicuius

nescio quis

liber refertur ad nescio quem auctorem

hic liber est de amicitia (not agit) or hoc libro

agitur de am.

libro continetur aliquid

libro scriptor complexus est aliquid

in extremo libro (Q. Fr. 2. 7. 1)

liber mihi est in manibus

librum in manibus habere (Acad. 1. 1. 2)

liber, oratio in manibus est librum in manus sumere librum de manibus ponere 176

the writer, author.

to take to writing, become an author.

to become a writer, embrace a literary career.

to become a writer, embrace a literary career.

to write a book.

to compose, compile a book.

to publish a book. to open a book. to open a book.

to dedicate a book to some one.

the title of a book.

the book is entitled "Laelius". Cicero says in his "Laelius."

there exists a book on... the book is still extant. the book has been lost.

a book which has been entirely lost sight of.

a lost book of which fragments (relliquiae, not fragmenta) remain.

a book which is attributed to some one.

an anonymous writer.

the book is attributed to an unknown writer.

the book treats of friendship.

the book contains something... (not continet aliquid).

the book contains something... (not *continet* aliauid).

at the end of the book.

to be engaged on a book.

to be engaged on a book.

the book, speech can easily be obtained.

to take up a book in one's hands.

to lay down a book (vid. sect. XII. 3, note

Not titulus which means—(1) an inscription on a tomb, monument; (2) public notice, e.g. an advertisement of a sale, sub titulum misit lares (Ov.); (3) metaph. title, honour, e.q. consulatus, *coniugis*. It is only in very late writers that it = a title of a book.

The perfect inscriptus est is only used when the writer himself is speaking of his book, e.g. de senectute disputavi eo libro, qui Cato maior inscriptus est, "...which I have entitled Cato maior."

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perpolire, limare diligenter librum, opus

vestem deponere...).

to polish, finish a work with the greatest care.

extrema manus accēdit operi extremam manum imponere operi)

(active to put the finishing touch to a work.

liber accurate, diligenter scriptus

a carefully written book.

aliquid, multa ex Ciceronis libris excerpere to make extracts from Cicero's writings. (not *excerpere librum*)

aliquid in commentarios suos referre (Tusc. 3. 22. 54)

to enter a thing in one's note-book.

librum annotare, interpolare, distinguere

to furnish a book with notes, additional extracts, marks of punctuation.

to bury oneself in one's library.

to read Plato.

Platonem legere, lectitare *locum Platonis afferre, proferre* (not *citare*)

to quote a passage of Plato.

scriptor hoc loco dicit Cicero loco quodam haec dicit

Platonem legere et cognoscere

se abdere in bibliothecam suam

our (not *noster*) author tells us at this point. Cicero says this somewhere.

legendo percurrere aliquid apud Platonem scriptum videmus, to study Plato. to read cursorily.

scriptum est or simply est

we read in Plato.

in Platonis Phaedone scriptum est verba, oratio, exemplum scriptoris in Plato's "Phaedo" we read. the text of the author (not textus).

legentes, ii qui legunt 178

the reader.

languorem, molestiam legentium afferre

animis to weary, bore the reader.

liber plenus delectationis alicuius mens in scriptis spirat mendum (scripturae) (Fam. 6. 7. 1)

a very charming book. a man's soul breathes through his writings.

mendose scriptum labi in scribendo

a clerical error, copyist's mistake.

mendosum esse (Verr. 2. 4. 77)

full of orthographical errors. to make a mistake in writing.

inducere verbum (Phil. 13. 19. 43)

(1) to make frequent mistakes in writing; (2) to be full of mistakes (speaking of a passage).

to strike out, delete a word.

10. Letters

epistulam (litteras) dare, scribere, mittere ad to write a letter to some one. aliquem

epistula ad Atticum data, scripta, missa or a letter to Atticus.

Distinguish the two verbs *ponere* = to set down for a moment temporarily, and *deponere* to lay aside, abandon altogether. Cf. vincere and devincere, perdere and deperdere.

legere in this connection only in the perfect.

Not lector, which means a professional reader, cf. De Or. 2. 55. 223. Similarly "audience" = ii qui audiunt or audientes (usually in oblique cases). Words in -tor and -trix always denote those who do something habitually or for some permanent object. Thus of functionaries—censor, dictator, quaestor, of artisans—fictor sculptor, institor retail dealer, mercator wholesale merchant, structor mason; of people who are always showing some distinguishing quality or defect—calumniator, ratiocinator, of those who have performed a feat so remarkable as to confer on them a durable characteristiccreator urbis (Romulus), servator Graeciae (Themistocles), Cimbrorum victor (Marius), etc.

quae ad A. scripta est

epistulam dare alicui ad aliquem

epistulam reddere alicui (Att. 5. 21. 4)

epistularum commercium litterae missae et allatae colloqui cum aliquo per litteras litteras inter se dare et accipere

litteras perferre aliquo epistulam signare, obsignare

epistulam solvere, aperire, resignare (of

Romans also *linum incīdere*)

epistulam intercipere (Att. 1. 13. 2)

epistulam deprehendere litteras recitare (Att. 8. 9. 2) litterae hoc exemplo (Att. 9. 6. 3)

litterae in hanc sententiam or his verbis

scriptae sunt

Kalendis Ianuariis Romā (dabam)

dies (fem. in this sense)

pater optime 179 or carissime, mi pater (vid.

sect. XII. 10)

litteras reddere datas a. d. Kal. X. Octob.

to charge some one with a letter for some one else.

to deliver a letter to some one (used of the

messenger). correspondence. correspondence.

to correspond with some one. to be in correspondence with... to take a letter somewhere. to seal, fasten a letter.

to open a letter.

to intercept a letter.

to take forcible possession of a letter. to read a letter aloud (in public). a letter, the tenor of which is...

the terms, contents of the letter are as

follows.

Rome, January 1st.

the date. my dear father.

to deliver a letter dated September 21st.

IX. The Emotions

1. Disposition—Emotion in General

animi affectio or habitus (De Inv. 2. 5)

ita ¹⁸⁰ animo affectum esse

animos tentare (Cluent. 63. 176)

animum alicuius or simply aliquem flectere animi motus, commotio, permotio

aliqua re moveri, commoveri alicuius animum commovere

alicuius animum pellere

motus excitare in animo (opp. sedare,

exstinguere)

commotum or concitatum esse commotum perturbatumque esse

alicuius mentem turbare, conturbare,

perturbare

quid tibi animi est?

humour; disposition. to be so disposed.

to try to divine a person's disposition. to make a person change his intention.

the emotions, feelings. to be moved by a thing.

to touch a person's heart, move him.

to make an impression on a person's mind.

to excite emotion.

to be moved, agitated. to be greatly agitated. to upset a person.

what sort of humour are you in?

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Neither *amatus* nor *dilectus* can be used in this connection.

¹⁸⁰ But not *magno, laeto,* etc., *animo affici*.

2. Joy-Pain

afficere aliquem gaudio, laetitia afferre alicui laetitiam laetitiam capere or percipere ex aliqua re delectari aliqua re in sinu gaudere (Tusc. 3. 21. 51) gaudio perfundi cumulum gaudii alicui afferre (vid. sect. V. 6) (Fam. 16. 21. 1)	to give pleasure to some one. to give pleasure to some one. to take pleasure in a thing. to take pleasure in a thing. to rejoice in secret. to be filled with delight. to add the crowning point to a person's joy.
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gaudio, laetitia exsultare	to utter cries of joy.
laetitia gestire (Tusc. 4. 6. 13)	to be transported with joy.
effusa ¹⁸² laetitia	a transport of joy.
laetitia gestiens	a transport of joy.
gaudio, laetitia efferri	to be beside oneself with joy.
animum alicuius ad laetitiam excitare	to put a man in a pleasurable frame of mind.
nimio gaudio paene desipere	to almost lose one's reason from excess of joy.
doleo aliquid, aliqua re, de and ex aliqua re	I am pained, vexed, sorry.
aegre, graviter, moleste fero aliquid (or with	I am pained, vexed, sorry.
Acc. c. Inf. or <i>quod</i>)	
tuam vicem 183 doleo	I am sorry for you.
dolore affici	to feel pain.
dolorem capere (percipere) ex aliqua re	to be vexed about a thing.
doloribus premi, angi, ardere, cruciari, distineri et divelli	to feel acute pain.
dolorem alicui facere, afferre, commovere	to cause a person pain.
acerbum dolorem alicui inurere	to cause any one very acute pain.
acer morsus doloris est (Tusc. 2. 22. 53)	the pain is very severe.
dolorem in lacrimas effundere	to find relief in tears.
dolori indulgere	to give way to grief.
dolor infixus animo haeret (Phil. 2. 26)	grief has struck deep into his soul.
dolore confici, tabescere	to be wasted with grief; to die of grief.
dolores remittunt, relaxant	the pain grows less.
dolori resistere	to struggle against grief.
callum obducere ¹⁸⁴ dolori (Tusc. 2. 15. 36)	to render insensible to pain.
animus meus ad dolorem obduruit (Fam. 2. 16. 1)	I have become callous to all pain.
dolorem abicere, deponere, depellere	to banish grief.
dolorem alicui eripere (Att. 9. 6. 4)	to free a person from his pain.
cum magno meo dolore	to my sorrow.
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generally, *compleri* (<u>Fin. 5. 14. 69</u>) is rare in Cicero; *gaudio impleri* does not occur. Speaking generally, *complere, implere, replere*, should not be used of emotions.

Cf. *effusa fuga*, headlong flight; *effusi sumptus*, lavish expenditure (<u>Rosc. Am. 24. 68</u>); *cursus*

effusus (Liv. 9. 41. 17).

**vicem* with a genitive or a possessive pronoun has the meaning "on account of," "with regard to," especially with verbs expressing the emotions, e.g. *doleo, timeo, irascor*.

Note too consuetudo callum obduxit stomacho meo (Fam. 9. 2. 3), habit has made me callous. *callum* properly is the thic nerveless skin which covers the bodies of animals.

3. Vexation—Care—Equanimity—Contentment—Affliction

in aegritudine, sollicitudine esse aegritudine, sollicitudine affici sollicitum esse

nihil omnino curare non laborare de aliqua re

aliquid me sollicitat, me sollicitum habet, mihi sollicitudini est, mihi sollicitudinem

(Tusc. 3. 13. 27)

aegritudine, curis confici

aegritudine afflictum, debilitatum esse, iacēre

aegritudinem alicuius elevare aliquem aegritudine levare

quieto, tranquillo, securo animo esse rebus suis, sorte sua contentum esse satis habeo, satis mihi est c. Inf. paucis, parvo contentum esse

fortunae meae me paenitet 185

non me paenitet, quantum profecerim in luctu esse (Sest. 14. 32) in sordibus luctuque iacēre

mors alicuius luctum mihi attulit

in maximos luctus incidere

magnum luctum haurire (without *ex-*)

luctum percipere ex aliqua re omnem luctum plane abstergere luctum deponere (Phil. 14. 13. 34)

maximos *luctus* vetustate

diuturnitas (Fam. 5. 16. 5)

to be vexed, mortified, anxious. to be vexed, mortified, anxious. to be vexed, mortified, anxious. not to trouble oneself about a thing. not to trouble oneself about a thing.

something harasses me, makes me anxious.

aegritudo exest animum planeque conficit anxiety gnaws at the heart and incapacitates

to be wasting away with grief.

to be bowed down, prostrated by grief.

to comfort another in his trouble. to comfort another in his trouble.

to enjoy peace of mind.

to be contented. I am content to...

to be satisfied with a little. I am discontented with my lot.

I am not dissatisfied with my progress.

to suffer affliction.

to be in great trouble, affliction.

some one's death has plunged me in grief. to be overwhelmed by a great affliction.

to undergo severe trouble, trials. to feel sorrow about a thing. to banish all sad thoughts.

to lay aside one's grief.

tollit time assuages the most violent grief.

4. Fear—Terror—Anxiety

timorem, terrorem alicui inicere, more to inspire fear, terror.

strongly *incutere*

timor aliquem occupat (B. G. 1. 39)

in timore esse, versari

in timorem venire, pervenire

metus aliquem exanimat (Mil. 24. 65)

exalbescere metu

metu fractum et debilitatum, perculsum esse

abicere, omittere timorem

a metu respirare (Cluent. 70. 200)

ex metu se recreare, se colligere

fear comes upon some one.

to be in fear.

to become frightened.

a man is paralysed with fear.

to grow pale with fear.

to be completely prostrated by fear.

to banish one's fears.

to recover from one's fright.

to recover from one's fright.

The evidence of inscriptions and the best MSS. seems to point to the derivation of paenitet, not from poena (cf. punire, impunis), but from the root contained in penes, penetrare, penitus, its original meaning would thus be, "to be touched, affected within, at heart" (Bréal).

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respirandi spatium dare to give time for recovery. terror incidit alicui terror, panic seizes some one. terror invadit in aliquem (rarely alicui, after terror, panic seizes some one.

Livy *aliquem*)

in terrorem conicere aliquem to overwhelm some one with terror.

(animo) angi (Brut. 27) to be very uneasy; to fret.

cura sollicitat angitque aliquem anxiety troubles and torments one. angoribus premi to be tormented with anxiety.

angoribus confici (Phil. 2. 15. 37) to be worn out, almost dead with anxiety.

5. Courage—Discouragement—Pusillanimity—Pride—Arrogance—Insolence

bono animo esse to be brave, courageous. to be brave, courageous. bonum animum habere

animus alicui accedit, crescit to take courage. animum capere, colligere to take courage. animum recipere (Liv. 2. 50) to take courage again.

animo forti esse to be brave by nature. fortem te praebe be brave!

alacri et erecto animo esse to show a brisk and cheerful spirit. to succeed in encouraging a person. animum facere, addere alicui animum alicuius confirmare

to strengthen, confirm a person's courage. animum alicui augere (B. G. 7. 70) to increase a person's courage.

animum alicuius redintegrare to re-inspire courage.

their spirits are broken. animus frangitur, affligitur, percellitur,

debilitatur

animos militum accendere to fire with courage. animi cadunt their courage is ebbing.

to lose courage; to despair. animo cadere, deficere to lose courage; to despair. animum demittere to encourage a person. erigere alicuius animum or aliquem

to inspire the spiritless and prostrate with excitare animum iacentem et afflictum (opp.

frangere animum) new vigour.

animo esse humili, demisso (more strongly to be cast down, discouraged, in despair.

animo esse fracto, perculso et abiecto) (Att. 3. 2)

inflatum, elatum esse aliqua re to be proud, arrogant by reason of something.

insolentia, superbia inflatum esse to be puffed up with pride.

magnos spiritus sibi sumere (B. G. 1. 33) to be haughty. spiritus alicuius reprimere to lower a person's pride. to behave arrogantly. insolentius se efferre elatius se gerere to give oneself airs.

to take upon oneself. sibi sumere aliquid (Planc. 1. 3)

contumacius se gerere to display a proud obstinacy.

libera contumacia Socratis (Tusc. 1. 29. 71) the frank but defiant demeanour of Socrates (before his judges).

6. Presence of Mind—Composure—Despair

praesenti animo uti (vid. sect. VI. 8, note to possess presence of mind.

uti...)

aequo (aequissimo) animo ferre aliquid

to endure a thing with (the greatest) sangfroid.

humane, modice, moderate, sapienter,

constanter ferre aliquid

(animo) paratum esse ad aliquid omnia perpeti paratum esse

ad omnes casus se comparare

animum alicuius de statu, de gradu demovere (more strongly depellere,

deturbare)

de statu suo or mentis deici (Att. 16. 15)

de gradu deici, ut dicitur ¹⁸⁶

perturbari (animo)

sui (mentis) compotem non esse

non esse apud se 187 (Plaut. Mil. 4. 8. 26) mente vix constare (Tusc. 4. 17. 39)

animo adesse (Sull. 11. 33)

ad se redire

constantiam servare mente consistere

desperare ¹⁸⁸ suis rebus

ad (summam) desperationem pervenire,

adduci (B. C. 2. 42)

desperatio rerum (omnium) (Catil. 2. 11. 25)

quid (de) me fiet? (Ter. Heaut. 4. 3. 37)

actum est de me

to bear a thing with resignation, composure.

to be resigned to a thing.

to be ready to endure anything.

to prepare oneself for all contingencies.

to disconcert a person.

to lose one's composure; to be disconcerted.

to lose one's composure; to be disconcerted.

to lose one's composure; to be disconcerted.

to lose one's head, be beside oneself.

to lose one's head, be beside oneself.

to compose oneself with difficulty.

to be quite unconcerned.

to regain one's self-possession.

to be calm, self-possessed.

to be calm, self-possessed.

to despair of one's position.

to be plunged into the depths of despair.

absolute despair; a hopeless situation.

what will become of me?

it's all over with me: I'm a lost man.

7. Hope—Expectation

spem habere

spe duci, niti, teneri

magna me spes tenet (with Acc. c. Inf.) I have great hopes that...

(Tusc. 1. 41. 97)

sperare videor

bene, optime (meliora) sperare de aliquo

(Nep. Milt. 1. 1)

in spem venire, ingredi, adduci

spem concipere animo

spem redintegrare (B. G. 7. 25)

spem alicui facere, afferre, inicere ad spem aliquem excitare, erigere

to cherish a hope. to cherish a hope.

I flatter myself with the hope...

to hope well of a person.

to conceive a hope.

to conceive a hope.

to revive a hope.

to inspire any one with hope.

to awaken new hope in some one.

in maximam spem aliquem adducere (Att. 2. to inspire some one with the most brilliant

These expressions are metaphors from the fencing-school. *gradus* is the position taken up by a combatant, so *gradu depelli, deici* = to be driven out of one's ground.

Used especially in the comic poets.

desperare is used, generally with de, more rarely with the accusative, in the meaning "to no longer count upon a thing," e.g. reditum, pacem; or with the dative, especially with sibi, suis rebus, saluti, fortunae suae. Note the use of desperatus, "abandoned," "given up," "despaired of," e.g. desperati morbi (Cic.), aegrota ac paene desperata res publica (Cic.)

22.3) in meliorem spem, cogitationem aliquem to induce some one to take a brighter view inducere (Off. 2. 15. 53) of things. to lead some one to expect... spem proponere alicui spes affulget (Liv. 27. 28) a ray of hope shines on us. spem falsam alicui ostendere to rouse a vain, groundless hope in some one's mind. to deprive a person of hope. spem alicui adimere, tollere, auferre, eripere spem praecīdere, incidere (Liv. 2. 15) to cut off all hope. spem perdere to lose hope. spe deici, depelli, deturbari to lose hope. spes ad irritum cadit, ad irritum redigitur expectation is overthrown. spem abicere, deponere to give up hoping. inani, falsa spe duci, induci to be misled by a vain hope. hope has played me false. spes me frustratur hope is vanishing by degrees. spes extenuatur et evanescit spem alicuius fallere (Catil. 4. 11. 23) to deceive a person's hope. spem alicui or alicuius minuere to weaken, diminish a person's hope. spem alicuius confirmare to strengthen a person in his hopes. to entertain a hope. spem alere spem habere in aliquo to set one's hope on some one. spem suam ponere, collocare in aliquo to set one's hope on some one. inter spem metumque suspensum animi esse to hover between hope and fear. praeter spem, exspectationem contrary to expectation. exspectationem 189 sui facere, commovere to cause oneself to be expected. exspectationem explere (De Or. 1. 47. 205) to fulfil expectation. exspectationi satisfacere, respondere to respond to expectations. exspectatione alicuius rei pendēre (animi) to be in suspense, waiting for a thing. (Leq. Agr. 2. 25. 66) exspectatione torqueri, cruciari to suffer torments of expectation, delay. suspenso animo exspectare aliquid to be waiting in suspense for... exspectationem to rouse a person's expectation, curiosity to aliauem in summam

8. Pity—Pardon—Want of Feeling—Cruelty

adducere (Tusc. 1. 17. 39)

misericordiam alicui commovere to excite some one's pity. misericordiam alicuius concitare to excite some one's pity. ad misericordiam aliquem allicere, adducere, to arouse feelings of compassion in some inducere one. misericordia moveri, capi (De Or. 2. 47) to be touched with pity. misericordiam implorare to implore a person's sympathy, pity. to be indulgent to a person's faults. indulgere vitiis alicuius alicui veniam dare (alicuius rei) to pardon some one. omnem humanitatem exuisse, abiecisse (Lig. to be quite insensible to all feelings of 5. 14) humanity. omnem humanitatis sensum amisisse to be quite insensible of all feelings to humanity. omnis humanitatis expertem esse to be absolutely wanting in sympathy.

the highest pitch.

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⁸⁹ Att. 1. 4. 5 crebras exspectationes tui commoves—i.e. you are leading us to expect your arrival.

omnem humanitatem ex animo exstirpare to stifle, repress all humane sentiments in (Amic. 13. 48)

nullam partem sensus habere

crudelitate uti (vid. sect. VI. 8, note uti...)

crudelitatem exercere in aliquo crudelitatem adhibere in aliquem animadvertere in aliquem

one's mind.

to possess not the least spark of feeling.

to behave with cruelty.

to exercise one's cruelty on some one. to exercise one's cruelty on some one. to inflict punishment on a person.

9. Love—Longing—Admiration—Enthusiasm

carum habere aliquem in amore habere aliquem

amore prosequi, amplecti aliquem

carum esse alicui

carum atque iucundum esse alicui

adamasse aliquem (only in Perf. and Plup.) to become devoted to some one. (Nep. Dion 2. 3)

aliquem toto pectore, 190 ut dicitur, amare to love some one very dearly, with all one's (Leg. 18. 49)

aliquem ex animo or ex animi sententia to love deeply.

amare (Q. Fr. 1. 1. 5)

amore captum, incensum, inflammatum to be fired with love.

esse, ardere

amorem ex animo eicere

mel ac deliciae alicuius (Fam. 8. 8. 1)

amores et deliciae alicuius

in amore et deliciis esse alicui (active in to be some one's favourite.

deliciis habere aliquem)

aliquem in sinu gestare (aliquis est in sinu to love and make a bosom friend of a alicuius) (Ter. Ad. 4. 5. 75)

aliquis, aliquid mihi curae or cordi 191 est

curae habere aliquid

nihil antiquius or prius habeo quam ut (nihil) there is nothing I am more interested in

mihi antiquius or potius est, quam ut)

desiderio alicuius rei teneri, affici (more to long for a thing, yearn for it.

strongly *flagrare*, *incensum esse*)

desiderio exardescere

admirationi esse admiratione affici 192

admirationem habere (Quintil. 8. 2. 6)

magna est admiratio alicuius admirationem alicui movere

admiratione incensum esse

to feel affection for a person.

to feel affection for a person.

to feel affection for a person.

to be dear to some one. to be dear to some one.

heart.

to banish love from one's mind.

somebody's darling. somebody's darling.

person.

somebody, something is never absent from

my thoughts.

to have laid something to heart; to take an interest in a thing.

than...

to be consumed with longing.

to be admired.

to be admired.

to be admired.

some one is the object of much admiration.

to fill a person with astonishment.

to be fired with admiration.

pectus metaphorically only occurs in isolated phrases, e.g. toto pectore, cogitare, tremere. Its commonest substitute is animus. Similarly cor metaphorically is only used in the phrase cordi est.

admiratione affici also means "to be filled with admiration."

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admirabilia (= παράδοξα)

studio ardere alicuius or alicuius rei (De Or. to have enthusiasm for a person or thing.

2. 1. 1)

studio alicuius rei aliquem incendere

ardor, inflammatio animi, incitatio mentis,

mentis vis incitatior

ardorem animi restinguere

ardor animi resēdit, consedit

paradoxes; surprising things.

to make some one enthusiastic for a thing.

to damp, chill enthusiasm.

enthusiasm.

his enthusiasm has abated, cooled down.

10. Belief—Confidence—Loyalty—Protection—Promise—Veracity (fides, fiducia)

fidem 193 habere alicui

fidem alicuius rei facere alicui

fidem tribuere, adiungere alicui rei

fidem abrogare, derogare alicui

fidem alicuius imminuere, infirmare (opp.

confirmare)

fiduciam in aliquo ponere, collocare

confidere alicui (but aliqua re)

fiduciam (alicuius rei) habere

fiducia sui (Liv. 25. 37)

committere aliquid alicui or alicuius fidei

totum se committere, tradere alicui

fidem colere, servare

fidem praestare alicui

in fide manere (B. G. 7. 4. 5)

fidem laedere, violare, frangere

fidem alicuius labefactare (Cluent. 60. 194)

de fide deducere or a fide abducere aliquem

fide data et accepta (Sall. Iug. 81. 1)

se conferre, se tradere, se permittere in

alicuius fidem

confugere ad aliquem, ad fidem alicuius

in fidem recipere aliquem (B. G. 2. 15. 1)

fidem alicuius obsecrare, implorare

fidem addere alicui rei

fidem publicam dare, interponere (Sall. Iug.

fidem dare alicui (opp. accipere) (c. Acc. c.

Inf.)

fidem servare (opp. fallere)

fidem persolvere

fidem (promissum) praestare

to believe a person.

to make some one believe a thing.

to believe in, trust in a thing.

to rob a person of his credit.

to weaken, destroy a man's credit.

to put confidence in some one.

to put confidence in some one.

to have great confidence in a thing.

self-confidence.

to entrust a thing to a person's good faith.

to put oneself entirely in some one's hands.

to preserve one's loyalty.

to keep faith with a person, keep one's

word.

to remain loyal.

to break one's word.

to make a person waver in his loyalty.

to undermine a person's loyalty.

having exchanged pledges, promises.

to put oneself under some one's protection.

to flee for refuge to some one.

to take a person under one's protection.

to implore some one's protection.

to confirm, ratify, sanction something.

to quarantee the protection of the state; to

promise a safe-conduct.

to give one's word that...

to keep one's word (not tenere).

to fulfil a promise.

to fulfil a promise.

fides has six principal meanings. A. subjectively—(1) in an active sense, belief, confidence, which some one holds; (2) passive, veracity, credit which one enjoys; (3) neutral, good faith, sincerity, loyalty, conscientiousness, and especially of the protection which one expects by appealing to a man's loyalty. B. (4) active, ratification, sanction; (5) passive, the thing promised, surety, guarantee; (6) neutral, authenticity, certitude, truth of a thing. Cf. Haacke, Lat Stil. 40-41.

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fidem interponere (Sall. Iug. 32. 5)to pledge one's word to...fidem prodereto break one's word.fidem frangereto break one's word.

promisso stare to abide by one's undertaking.

fide obstrictum teneri (Pis. 13. 29) to be bound by one's word; to be on one's

honour.

fidem facere, afferre alicui rei (opp. *demere,* to make a thing credible. *de-, abrogare fidem*)

aliquid fidem habet (vid. also fides under a thing finds credence, is credible.

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sponsionem facere, sponsorem esse pro to be security for some one.

aliquo

praestare aliquem, aliquid, de aliqua re or to be answerable for a person, a thing.

Acc. c. Inf.

11. Suspicion—Presentiment

suspicionem movere, excitare, inicere, dare to rouse a person's suspicions.

alicui

suspicionem habere de aliquoto suspect a person.suspicionem alicuius rei habereto be suspected of a thing.suspicio (alicuius rei) cadit in aliquem,a suspicion falls on some one.

pertinet ad aliquem

aliquem in suspicionem adducere (alicui), to make a person suspected.

aliquem suspectum reddere

in suspicionem vocari, cadere to become the object of suspicion. in suspicionem alicui venire to be suspected by some one. suspicionem a se removere, depellere, to clear oneself of a suspicion.

propulsare (<u>Verr. 3. 60. 140</u>)

suspicionem ex animo delere to banish all feeling of prejudice from the

mind.

suspicio insidet in animo ejus he is in a suspicious mood. suspicio ei penitus inhaeret he is in a suspicious mood. suspicio tenuissima, minima the faintest suspicion.

a suspicione alicuius rei abhorrereto have no presentiment of a thing.animus praesāgit malummy mind forebodes misfortune.animo praesagio malummy mind forebodes misfortune.

12. Hatred—Jealousy—Envy

invisum esse alicuito be hated by some one.odio, invidiae esse alicuito be hated by some one.in invidia esse alicuito be hated by some one.in odio esse apud aliquemto be hated by some one.

invidia flagrare, premi to be detested.

in odium, in invidiam venire alicui to incur a person's hatred. invidiam colligere (aliqua re) to incur a person's hatred. alicuius odium subire, suscipere, in se to incur a person's hatred.

convertere, sibi conflare

in aliculus odium incurrere to incur a person's hatred.

in invidiam, odium (alicuius) vocare aliquem to make a person odious, unpopular.

in invidiam adducere aliquem invidiam alicui conflare (Catil. 1. 9. 23) invidiam, odium ex-, concitare alicui, in to make a person odious, unpopular. aliquem capitali odio dissidere ab aliquo (De Am. 1. to be separated by a deadly hatred.

odium explere aliqua re (Liv. 4. 32) odium implacabile suscipere in aliquem

odio or invidia alicuius ardere odium inveteratum habere in aliquem (Vat. <u>3. 6</u>)

odio inflammatum, accensum esse odium alicuius inflammare

odium restinguere, exstinguere

to make a person odious, unpopular. to make a person odious, unpopular.

to glut one's hatred.

to conceive an implacable hatred against a man.

to be consumed with hatred.

to cherish an inveterate animosity against some one.

to be fired with a passionate hatred.

to kindle hatred in a person's heart; to fill some one with hatred (not implere, vid. sect. IX. 2, note *gaudio...*).

to stifle, drown one's hatred.

13. Discontent—Anger—Revenge—Fury

aegre, graviter, moleste, indigne ferre to be discontented, vexed at a thing; to aliquid

indignitas, atrocitas rei (Mur. 25. 51)

o facinus indignum! (Ter. Andr. 1. 1. 118)

ira incensum esse

iracundia inflammatum esse ira ardere (Flacc. 35. 88)

iracundia exardescere, effervescere

iracundia efferri

ira defervescit (Tusc. 4. 36. 78)

virus acerbitatis suae effundere in aliquem

(De Amic. 23, 87)

iram in aliquem effundere iram, bilem evomere in aliquem

irae indulgere (Liv. 23. 3)

praecipitem in iram esse (Liv. 23. 7)

animum explere

iracundiam continere, cohibere, reprimere

iram restinguere, sedare

animum alicuius ab iracundia revocare

stomachum, bilem alicui movere

ulcisci aliquem, 194 poenas expetere ab aliquo ulcisci aliquid, poenas alicuius rei expetere ulcisci aliquem pro aliquo or pro aliqua re

poenas alicuius or alicuius rei repetere ab to revenge oneself on another for a thing or aliquo

chafe.

the revolting nature of an action.

monstrous!

to be fired with rage.

to be fired with rage.

to be fired with rage.

to be transported with passion.

to be carried away by one's anger.

his anger cools.

to vent one's anger, spite on some one.

to vent one's anger, spite on some one.

to vent one's anger, spite on some one.

to give free play to one's anger.

to be short-tempered; to be prone to anger.

to cool one's anger.

to restrain, master one's passion.

to calm one's anger.

to prevent some one from growing angry, appease his anger.

to excite a person's wrath.

to revenge oneself on some one.

to revenge oneself for a thing.

to revenge oneself on another for a thing or on some one's behalf.

on some one's behalf.

ulcisci aliquem also means to avenge some one; to exact satisfaction on his behalf.

iniurias persequi (Verr. 2. 3. 9) impellere aliquem in furorem furore inflammari, incendi furore incensus, abreptus, impulsus indignatio aliquem incedit indignationes (Liv. 25. 1. 9)

to avenge an insult. to make some one furious. to become furious. in a transport of rage. to be filled with indignation. signs of irritation, of discontent.

X. Virtues and Vices

1. Virtue—Morality

vita honesta (turpis)

honesta expetere; turpia fugere

virtute praeditum, ornatum esse (opp. vitiis to be virtuous.

obrutum esse)

viam virtutis ingredi (Off. 1. 32. 118)

omnia consilia et facta ad virtutem referre 195

(Phil. 10. 10. 20)

virtutem sequi, virtutis studiosum esse

virtutis perfectae perfecto munere fungi to live a perfect life.

(Tusc. 1. 45. 109)

virtutem pristinam retinere

nihil ex pristina virtute remittere

summum bonum 196 in virtute ponere

virtus hoc habet, ut...

a virtute discedere or deficere

honestatem deserere

a maiorum virtute desciscere, degenerare,

deflectere

a parentibus degenerare

corrumpi, depravari

excitare aliquem ad virtutem

bonitas (Fin. 5. 29. 65)

naturae bonitas (Off. 1. 32. 118)

naturae bona

a virtuous (immoral) life.

to follow virtue; to flee from vice.

to walk in the ways of virtue.

to make virtue the standard in every thought

and act.

to strive to attain virtue.

to live as scrupulously moral a life as ever.

to live as scrupulously moral a life as ever.

to consider virtue the highest good.

this is a characteristic of virtue, it...

to deviate from the path of virtue.

to deviate from the path of virtue.

to deteriorate.

to degenerate (from one's ancestors).

to be demoralised, corrupted.

to rouse in some one an enthusiasm for

virtue.

kindheartedness.

innate goodness, kindness.

natural advantages.

2. Vice—Crime

omni vitio carere

to be free from faults.

vitia erumpunt (in aliquem) (De Amic. 21. his vices betray themselves.

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animum vitiis dedere

to abandon oneself to vice.

vitiis, sceleribus se to be tainted with vice. contaminari or

¹⁹⁵ For "thoughts and deeds," cf. Or. 3. 43. 182 mores instituta et facta; Prov. Cons. 8. 20 consilia et facta; Fin. 2. 14. 5 studia et facta; Verr. 5. 14. 35 mentes hominum et cogitationes.

Note too *finis bonorum et malorum* = the highest good and the greatest evil.

contaminare (Off. 3. 8. 37)

vitiis, sceleribus inquinatum, contaminatum, to be vicious, criminal.

obrutum esse

vitia exstirpare et funditus tollere

vita omnibus flagitiis, 197 vitiis dedita vita omnibus flagitiis inquinata

natura proclivem esse ad vitia scelera moliri (Att. 7. 11)

scelus facere, committere facinus facere, committere

scelere se devincire, se obstringere, astringi

scelus (in se) concipere, suscipere

scelus edere in aliquem (Sest. 26. 58) scelus scelere cumulare (Catil. 1. 6. 14)

scelus 198 supplicio expiare

to eradicate vice.

a life defiled by every crime.

a life defiled by every crime.

to have a natural propensity to vice.

to meditate crime.

to commit crime.

to do a criminal deed.

to commit a crime and so make oneself

liable to the consequences of it.

to commit a crime and so make oneself

liable to the consequences of it. to commit a crime against some one.

to heap crime on crime.

to expiate a crime by punishment.

3. Desire—Passion—Self-Control

cupiditate alicuius rei accensum,

inflammatum esse

cupiditate alicuius rei ardere, flagrare

cupiditatem alicuius accendere aliquem ad cupiditatem incitare aliquem cupiditate inflammare

cupiditatibus occaecari (Fin. 1. 10. 33)

libidine ferri

se (totum) libidinibus dedere cupiditatibus servire, pārēre

praecipitem ferri aliqua re (Verr. 5. 46. 121)

homo impotens sui

homo effrenatus, intemperans

sibi imperare or continere et coercere se

ipsum

animum regere, coercere, cohibere

animum vincere (Marcell. 3. 8)

imperare cupiditatibus

cohibere, continere, coercere,

habere cupiditates

refrenare cupiditates, libidines

effrenatae cupiditates

indomitae animi cupiditates cupiditates explere, satiare

to be fired with desire of a thing.

to have an ardent longing for a thing.

to rouse a person's interest, cupidity.

to rouse a person's interest, cupidity.

to rouse a person's interest, cupidity.

to be blinded by passions.

to be carried away by one's passions.

to abandon oneself (entirely) to debauchery.

to be the slave of one's desires.

to be carried away by something.

a man of no self-control, self-indulgent.

a man of no self-control, self-indulgent.

to have self-control; to restrain oneself, master one's inclinations.

to have self-control; to restrain oneself, master one's inclinations.

to have self-control; to restrain oneself, master one's inclinations.

to overcome one's passions.

domitas to overcome one's passions.

to bridle one's desires. unrestrained, unbridled lust. unrestrained, unbridled lust. to satisfy one's desires.

detto

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flagitium is a crime against oneself, e.g. drunkenness. scelus is a sin against society at large, e.g. theft, murder. nefas a sin against God, e.g. sacrilege, parricide. facinus any unusual action, then generally a crime, outrage.

libidinem alicuius excitare libido dominatur (Or. 65. 219) libido consēdit cupiditates deferbuerunt (Cael. 18. 43) animi perturbationes exstirpare

to arouse some one's lust. the passions win the day. the storm of passion has abated. the passions have cooled down. to eradicate passion from the mind.

4. Wrong—Insult—Outrage—Offence

iniuriam inferre, facere alicui iniuria afficere aliquem iniuria lacessere aliquem iniuria abstinere (Off. 3. 17. 72) iniuriam accipere iniuriam ferre, pati iniurias defendere, repellere, propulsare iniurias neglegere ab iniuria aliquem defendere satisfacere alicui pro (de) iniuriis contumelia aliquem afficere voces (verba) contumeliosae verborum contumeliae contumeliosis vocibus prosequi aliquem (vid. sect. VI. 11, note *Prosequi...*) maledictis aliquem onerare, lacerare offendere aliquem, alicuius animum offendere apud aliquem (Cluent. 23. 63) in offensionem alicuius incurrere (Verr. 1. to hurt some one's feelings.

12, 35) offendi aliqua re (animus offenditur) offendere in aliquo (Mil. 36. 99)

offendere 199 in aliqua re (Cluent. 36. 98)

offensionem habere

instruere, tendere

res habet aliquid offensionis

to wrong a person. to wrong a person.

to provoke a person by a gratuitous insult. to refrain from doing a wrong, an injustice.

to be the victim of an injustice.

to suffer wrong. to repel an injury.

to leave a wrong unpunished, to ignore it.

to protect any one from wrong.

to give some one satisfaction for an injury.

to insult some one. insulting expressions. insulting expressions.

to use insulting expressions to any one.

to heap abuse on some one. to hurt some one's feelings. to hurt some one's feelings.

to feel hurt by something.

to have something to say against a person, to object to him.

to take a false step in a thing; to commit an indiscretion.

to give offense to, to shock a person (used of things, vid. sect. V. 18).

there is something repulsive about the thing.

5. Violence—Ambuscade—Threats

vim adhibere, facere alicui vim inferre alicui vim et manus afferre alicui (Catil. 1. 8. 21) vim vi depellere vi vim illatam defendere insidias collocare, locare (Mil. 10. 27) insidias alicui parare,

to use violence against some one.

to do violence to a person. to kill with violence.

to meet force by force.

to meet force by force. to set an ambuscade.

facere, struere, to waylay a person.

Notice too offendere caput (Quintil. 6. 3. 67), pedem (B. Hisp. 23), to strike one's head, foot against anything; offendere aliquem imparatum (Fam. 2. 3), to find some one unprepared, cf. καταλαμβειν.

aliquem in insidiis locare, collocare, ponere to place some one in ambush. aliquem in insidias elicere, inducere to draw some one into an ambush. subsidere in insidiis (Mil. 19. 49) to place oneself in ambush. minitari (minari) alicui mortem, crucem et to threaten some one with death, crucifixion, tormenta, bellum torture, war. minitari alicui igni ferroque (Phil. 13. 9. 21) to threaten with fire and sword. denuntiare 200 bellum, caedem (Sest. 20. 46) to threaten war, carnage. minas iacere, iactare to use threats. minis uti to use threats.

6. Appearance—Deceit—Falsehood—Derision

to have the appearance of something. speciem alicuius rei habere speciem alicuius rei praebere to give the impression of...; have the outward aspect of... speciem prae se ferre 201 to give the impression of ...; have the outward aspect of... apparently; to look at. in speciem specie (De Amic. 13. 47) apparently; to look at.

per speciem (alicuius rei) apparently; to look at. per simulationem, simulatione alicuius rei under pretext, pretence of... simulare morbum to pretend to be ill. dissimulare 202 morbum to pretend not to be ill.

aliquis simulat aegrum or se esse aegrum some one feigns illness. to think one thing, say another; to conceal aliter sentire ac loqui (aliud sentire, aliud

one's opinions. loaui)

per dolum (B. G. 4. 13) by craft.

dolis et fallaciis (Sall. Cat. 11. 2) by the aid of fraud and lies. sine fuco ac fallaciis (Att. 1. 1. 1) without any disguise, frankly.

to deceive a person, throw dust in his eyes. verba dare alicui (Att. 15. 16)

mendacium dicere to tell lies. falsa (pro veris) dicere to tell lies.

ludere, irridere, deridere aliquem to make sport of, rally a person.

illudere alicui or in aliquem (more rarely to make sport of, rally a person. aliauem)

ludibrio esse alicui to serve as some one's butt.

in ludibrium verti (Tac. Ann. 12. 26) to become an object of ridicule; to be laughed at.

omnibus artibus aliquem ludificari, eludere to fool a person thoroughly.

in sport, mockery.

per ludibrium

"Threaten" in the sense of to be at hand, to be imminent, is rendered by some such word as imminere, impendere, instare, e.g. bellum imminet. For the meaning to seem likely, to promise, cf. conjuratio rem publicam perversura videtur, the conspiracy threatens to overthrow the state.

prae se ferre followed by Acc. and Inf. = to manifest, display, e.g. Romanum esse semper prae me tuli.

simulo = I pretend to be what I am not, cf. ἀλαζών, a braggart; dissimulo = I pretend not to be what I am, cf. ειρων, a mock-modest person. Quae non sunt simulo, quae sunt ea dissimulantur.

7. Duty—Inclination

officium suum facere, servare, colere, tueri, to do one's duty. exsequi, praestare officio suo satisfacere (Div. in Caec. 14. 47) to do one's duty. officio suo fungi to do one's duty. omnes officii partes exsequi to fulfil one's duty in every detail. nullam officii partem deserere to fulfil one's duty in every detail. diligentem esse in retinendis officiis to be exact, punctual in the performance of one's duty. officium suum deserere, neglegere to neglect one's duty. ab officio discedere to neglect one's duty. de, ab officio decedere to neglect one's duty. officio suo deesse (Fam. 7. 3) to nealect one's duty. ad officium redire to return to one's duties. in officio manere (Att. 1. 3) to remain faithful to one's duty. contra officium est c. Inf. it is a breach of duty to... ab officio abduci, avocari to let oneself be perverted from one's duty. salvo 203 officio (Off. 3. 1. 4) without violating, neglecting one's duty. we are united by many mutual obligations. multa et magna inter nos officia intercedunt (Fam. 13.65) in aliquem officia conferre to be courteous, obliging to some one. aliquem officiis suis complecti, prosequi to be courteous, obliging to some one. to be courteous, obliging to some one. officiosum esse in aliquem litterae officii or humanitatis plenae a most courteous letter. studere alicui rei, studiosum esse alicuius rei to have an inclination for a thing. studio alicuius rei teneri to have an inclination for a thing. propensum, proclivem esse ad aliquid (opp. to have an inclination for a thing. alienum, aversum esse, abhorrere ab aliqua re) studiis suis obsequi (De Or. 1. 1. 3) to follow one's inclinations.

sibi or ingenio suo indulgere (Nep. Chabr. 3) to indulge one's caprice.

8. Reason—Conscience—Remorse

rationis participem (opp. expertem) esse to be endowed with reason.
ratione praeditum esse, uti to be endowed with reason.
prudenter, considerate, consilio agere (opp. to act reasonably, judiciously.

temere, nullo consilio, nulla ratione)
sapere (Off. 2. 14. 48) to be a man of sense, judgment.
resipiscere (Att. 4. 5. 2) to recover one's reason, be reasonable again.
ad sanitatem reverti, redire to recover one's reason, be reasonable

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Notice salvis legibus (<u>Fam. 1. 4</u>), without breaking the law; salva fide (<u>Off. 3. 4. 44</u>), without breaking one's word.

officium is used of anything which one feels bound to do, either on moral grounds or from a desire to please others (especially those in authority). Thus the word denotes not merely duty, sense of duty, faithful performance of duty, submissiveness (cf. sect. xvi. 13), but also courteous, obliging behaviour, complaisance, mark of respect. Objectively it has the meaning of an office, service, command, e.g. officium maritimum.

again.

ad bonam frugem se recipere to recover one's reason, be reasonable

again.

ad sanitatem adducere, revocare aliquem to bring some one back to his senses.

satin (= satisne) sanus es? are you in your right mind? rationi repugnare to be contrary to all reason.

conscientia recta, recte facti (factorum), a good conscience.

virtutis, bene actae vitae, rectae voluntatis

mens bene sibi conscia a good conscience. conscientia mala or peccatorum, culpae, a quilty conscience.

sceleris, delicti

animus male sibi conscius

nullius culpae sibi conscium esse to be conscious of no ill deed. conscientia morderi (Tusc. 4. 20. 45) to be conscience-stricken.

conscientiae maleficiorum stimulant aliquem his guilty conscience gives him no rest.

conscientia mala angi, excruciari to be tormented by remorse. (mens scelerum furiis agitatur) to be tormented by remorse.

conscientia recte factorum erigi to congratulate oneself on one's clear

conscience.

a quilty conscience.

Furiae agitant et vexant aliquem the Furies harass and torment some one.

9. Measure—Standard—Limit—Moderation

modum tenere, retinere 205, servare, to observe moderation, be moderate.

adhibere

omnia modice agere to be moderate in all things, commit no

excess.

modum facere, statuere, constituere alicui to set a limit to a thing.

rei or *alicuius rei*

modum transire to pass the limit. extra modum prodire to pass the limit. ultra modum 206 progredi to pass the limit.

metiri, ponderare, aestimare, iudicare aliquid to measure something by the standard of

(ex) aliqua re something else; to make something one's

criterion.

dirigere or referre aliquid ad aliquam rem to measure something by the standard of

something else; to make something one's

criterion.

fines certos terminosque constituere to impose fixed limitations.

terminis circumscribere aliquid to set bounds to a thing, limit it.
moderatum, continentem esse to behave with moderation.
moderatum se praebere to behave with moderation.

temperantia uti to behave with moderation.

moderationem, modum adhibere in aliqua re to show moderation in a matter. moderari aliquid (Flacc. 5. 12) to show moderation in a matter.

modice ac sapienter with moderation and judgment.

In the original book is *retineri*. I transcribed this as *retinere*, following the Latin text of the French edition (*Phraséologie Latine*, translatation by Charles Pascal, 5th ed., 1942, Librairie C. Klincksieck, p. 212).

Only Livy and subsequent writers use *modum excedere*, and in the same way *supra modum*.

sine modo; nullo modo adhibito extra, praeter modum *mediocritatem tenere* (Off. 1. 25. 89) with no moderation. beyond all measure. to observe the golden mean.

10. Morals—Immorality—Principles—Character

homo bene (male) moratus homo perditus praecepta de moribus or de virtute morum praecepta tradere alicui de virtute praecipere alicui mores corrupti or perditi tam perditis or corruptis moribus mores in dies magis labuntur (also with ad, e.g. ad mollitiem)

severus morum castigator

aliquid abhorret a meis moribus (opp. insitum [atque innatum] est animo or in animo alicuius)

consilia et facta (cf. sect. X. 1, note For thought and deed. "thoughts and deeds"...)

institutum tenere

ratione; animi quodam iudicio

vitae ratio bene ac sapienter instituta

susceptae (Imp. Pomp. 1. 1.)

certas rationes in agendo 207 sequi

omnia temere agere, nullo iudicio uti

caeco impetu ferri

natura et mores; vita moresque; indoles character. animi ingeniique; or simply ingenium,

indoles, natura, mores

vir constans, gravis (opp. homo inconstans,

levis)

sibi constare, constantem esse animo mobili esse (Fam. 5. 2. 10) aliquid est proprium alicuius

mobilitas et levitas animi

a moral (immoral) man.

a depraved, abandoned character.

moral precepts.

to give moral advice, rules of conduct. to give moral advice, rules of conduct. moral corruption (not corruptela morum).

amongst such moral depravity.

immorality is daily gaining ground.

a stern critic of morals.

something is contrary to my moral sense,

goes against my principles.

to remain true to one's principles.

on principle.

a sound and sensible system of conduct.

meae vitae rationes ab ineunte aetate the principles which I have followed since I

came to man's estate.

to follow fixed principles of conduct.

to have no principles. to have no principles.

a man of character, with a strong personality.

to be consistent.

to be inconsistent, changeable.

something is a characteristic of a man.

inconsistency; changeability.

XI. Religion

1. God-Worship

numen (deorum) divinum dei propitii (opp. irati)

the sovereign power of the gods. the favour of heaven.

Do not translate "to act, behave, conduct oneself" by agere without an object or an accompanying adverb, e.g. bene, recte agere; however, with the gerundive the adverb may be omitted, e.g. agendum est, tempus agendi, celeritas in agendo.

superi; inferi

inferi (Orcus and Tartarus only poetical)

ad inferos descendere apud inferos esse

aliquem ab inferis or a mortuis evocare, excitare (passive ab inferis exsistere)

deos sancte, pie venerari

deum rite (summa religione) colere

cultus dei, deorum (N. D. 2. 3. 8)

sacra, res divinae, religiones, caerimoniae rebus divinis interesse (B. G. 6. 13)

sacris adesse

sacris initiari (Quintil. 12. 10. 14)

templa deorum adire

numerum deorum obtinere (N. D. 3. 20)

referre, aliquem in deorum numerum reponere

aliquem in deorum numero referre

aliquem divino honere colere

alicui divinos honores tribuere, habere propius ad deos accedere (Mil. 22. 59)

supera et caelestia; humana et citerioria divinitus (De Or. 1. 46. 202)

divinitus accidit

the gods of the upper, lower world.

the world below.

to descend to the world below.

to be in the lower world.

to summon some one from the dead.

to be an earnest worshipper of the gods.

to honour the gods with all due ceremonial (very devoutly).

worship of the gods; divine service.

ritual; ceremonial.

to take part in divine service (of the priest).

to be present at divine service (of the people).

to be initiated into the mysteries of a cult.

to make a pilgrimage to the shrines of the gods.

to be regarded as a god.

to deify a person.

to consider as a god.

to pay divine honours to some one.

to pay divine honours to some one.

to approach the gods.

heavenly things; earthly things.

by divine inspiration (often = marvellously,

excellently).

it happened miraculously.

2. Religion—Religious Scruple—Oath

imbuere (vid. sect. VII. 7, note imbuere...) to inspire with religious feeling, with the fear pectora religione

audientium animos religione perfundere (Liv. to fill the souls of one's audience with

religionem ex animis extrahere (N. D. 1. 43. to banish devout sentiment from the minds 121)

omnem religionem tollere, delere

religionem labefactare (vid. sect. V. 7, note to shake the foundations of religion. *In Latin metaphor...*)

animos (Liv. 6. 1. 10)

religionem alicui afferre, inicere, incutere

aliquid religioni habere or in religionem vertere

aliquid in religionem alicui venit

of God.

devotion.

of others.

to annihilate all religious feeling.

religione obstrictos habere multitudinis to have power over the people by trading on their religious scruples.

to inspire some one with religious scruples.

to make a thing a matter of conscience, be scrupulous about a thing.

to make a thing a matter of conscience, be scrupulous about a thing.

religio (original meaning probably that which binds down, cf. religo, leges, lictor, etc.) denotes, subjectively, religious feeling, devotion, fear of God, religious scruple, conscientiousness. Objectively it means the object of religious fear, a sacred thing or place, also that which is contrary to the gods' will, a crime, sin, curse; lastly in an active sense a religious obligation, an oath.

nulla religio

religionem externam suscipere

novas religiones instituere

bellum pro religionibus susceptum

violatas caerimonias inexpiabili religione

sancire (Tusc. 1. 12. 27) iusiurandum dare alicui

ex animi mei sententia iuro iureiurando aliquem astringere iureiurando aliquem adigere

iureiurando ac fide se obstringere, ut iureiurando teneri (Off. 3. 27. 100)

iusiurandum (religionem) servare,

conservare

periurium facere; peierare

iusiurandum violare

absence of scruples, unconscientiousness.

to embrace a strange religion.

to introduce a new religion, a new cult.

a religious war.

to invoke an irrevocable curse on the

profanation of sacred rites. to swear an oath to a person. I swear on my conscience.

to bind some one by an oath. to make some one take an oath.

to promise an oath to... to be bound by oath. to keep one's oath.

to commit perjury, perjure oneself.

to break one's oath.

3. Belief—Unbelief—Superstition

opinio dei

deum esse credimus

deos esse negare

insitas (innatas) dei cognitiones habere (N.

D. 1. 17. 44)

omnibus innatum est et in animo quasi belief in God is part of every one's nature.

insculptum esse deum

impressit (N. D. 1. 16. 43)

impietas

qui deum esse negat

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superstitione imbutum esse

superstitione teneri, constrictum

obligatum esse

superstitionem funditus tollere

superstitionem radicitus or penitus evellere

formidines

belief in god.

we believe in the existence of a God.

to deny the existence of the gods.

to have innate ideas of the Godhead; to

believe in the Deity by intuition.

natura in omnium animis notionem dei Nature has implanted in all men the idea of

a God. unbelief.

an atheist.

superstitio mentes occupavit (Verr. 4. 51. superstition has taken possession of their

souls.

to be tinged with superstition.

esse, to be the slave of superstition.

to absolutely annihilate superstition.

to destroy superstition root and branch.

superstitious fears; phantoms.

4. Prayers—Wishes—Vows

precari aliquid a deo precari deum, deos supplicare deo (Sall. Iug. 63. 1) adhibere deo preces praeire verba (carmen) (Liv. 31. 17) to pray to God. to pray to God. to pray to God. to pray to God.

to read prayers for the congregation to

repeat.

sacramentum dicere alicui and apud aliquem = to take in some one's presence an oath to the standard, a military oath.

(supinas) manus ²¹⁰ ad caelum tendere to raise the hands to heaven (attitude of prayer). maintain a devout silence (properly, utter no favete ore, linguis = εὐφημειτε ill-omened word). preces facere to pray. grates, laudes agere dis immortalibus to thank, glorify the immortal gods. testari deos (Sull. 31. 86) to call the gods to witness. contestari deos hominesque to call gods and men to witness. dis bene iuvantibus (Fam. 7. 20. 2) with the help of the gods. quod deus bene vertat! 211 and may God grant success! quod di immortales omen avertant! (Phil. 44. and may heaven avert the omen! heaven 11) preserve us from this! quod abominor! (procul absit!) God forbid! di prohibeant, di meliora! heaven forfend! quod bonum, faustum, felix, fortunatumque may heaven's blessing rest on it. sit! 212 (Div. 1. 45. 102) precari alicui bene (male) or omnia bona to bless (curse) a person. (mala), salutem

5. Sacrifice—Festival

vota solvere, persolvere, reddere

voti damnari, compotem fieri

sacra, sacrificium facere (ἰερὰ ρέζειν), to sacrifice.

sacrificare

rem divinam facere (dis) to sacrifice.

ture et odoribus incensis with incense and perfumes.

rebus divinis (rite) perpetratis after having performed the sacrifice (with

due ritual).

to make a vow.

to accomplish, pay a vow.

to have to pay a vow; to obtain one's wish.

sacrificium statum (solemne) (Tusc. 1. 47. a periodically recurring (annual) sacrifice.

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sacra polluere et violare to profane sacred rites.

victimas (oxen), hostias (smaller animals,

vota facere, nuncupare, suscipere, concipere

especially sheep) immolare, securi ferire,

caedere, mactare

deos placare (B. G. 6. 15) to appease the anger of the gods.

manes expiare (Pis. 7. 16) to appease the manes, make sacrifice for

departed souls.

to slaughter victims.

pro victimis homines immolare to sacrifice human victims.

parentare (Leg. 2. 21. 54) to make a sacrifice on the tomb of one's

ancestors.

libare to offer libations.

diem festum agere (of an individual) to keep, celebrate a festival. diem festum celebrare (of a larger number) to keep, celebrate a festival.

supinus = ὑπτιος, bent backwards; supinae manus, with the palms turned up. The opposite of supinus is pronus, e.g. puerum imponere equo pronum in ventrem, postea sedentem (Varr.); pecora quae natura prona finxit (Sall.)

Note that these clauses with *quod* are parenthetical.

²¹² Sometimes abbreviated q. b. f. f. f. s.

supplicationem indicere ad omnia pulvinaria to proclaim a public thanksgiving at all the (Liv. 27. 4)

(Phil. 14. 14. 37)

supplicationem habere (Liv. 22. 1. 15) lectisternium facere, habere (Liv. 22. 1. 18) street-shrines of the gods.

supplicationem quindecim dierum decernere to decree a public thanksgiving for fifteen

to celebrate a festival of thanksgiving.

to hold a lectisternium.

6. Oracle—Prodigies—Auspices—Presage

oraculum consulere oraculum petere (ab aliquo) mittere Delphos consultum oraculum dare, edere responsum dare (vid. sect. VIII. 5, note Note to give an oracular response.

to answer...), respondere

oraculum Pythium (Pythicum)

vox Pythia (Pythica) (Liv. 1. 56)

prodigia procurare 213 (Liv. 22. 1)

libros Sibyllinos adire, consulere, inspicere augurium agere, ²¹⁴ auspicari (N. D. 2. 4. 11)

de caelo servare (Att. 4. 3. 3)

aves (alites, oscines) 215 addīcunt alicui (opp. abdicunt aliquid) augures obnuntiant (consuli) (Phil. 2. 33. 83) auspicato (rem gerere, urbem condere) *omen accipere* (opp. *improbare*) accipere, vertere aliquid in omen faustis ominibus

to consult an oracle.

to ask for an oracular response.

to send and consult the oracle at Delphi.

to give an oracular response.

an oracle given by the Delphian Apollo (Apollo Pythius).

an oracle given by the Delphian Apollo (Apollo Pythius).

to avert by expiatory sacrifices the effect of ominous portents.

to consult the Sibylline books.

to take the auspices, observe the flight of birds.

to observe the sky (i.e. the flight of birds, lightning, thunder, etc.)

the omens are favourable to some one.

the augurs announce an unfavourable sign. after having duly taken the auspices. to accept as a happy omen. to interpret something as an omen.

with favourable omens. an evil omen; presage of ill.

XII. Domestic Life

omen infaustum, triste

1. The House and its different Parts

domus necessariis rebus instructa domus ruina 216 impendet

a comfortably-furnished house. the house threatens to fall in (vid. sect. X. 5,

procurare, a technical term of religious ceremonial = to avert by expiation; to take the necessary measures, observe the proper ceremony for appeasing the anger of the gods.

Not auspicia habere, which means to have the right to take the auspices. As this right was usually combined with the right to command, we find such phrases as ponere auspicia, to give up a command; imperio auspicioque alicuius, auspiciis alicuius, under some one's command.

In the science of augury, alites denoted birds which gave omens by their flight; oscines those which gave them by their cries.

note "Threaten"...). domus collapsura, corruitura (esse) videtur the house threatens to fall in (vid. sect. X. 5, note "Threaten"...). domus subita ruina collapsa est the house suddenly fell in ruins. domum demoliri (Top. 4. 22) to demolish, raze a house. domus non omnes capit 217 ($\chi \omega \rho \epsilon \iota \nu$) the house is not large enough for all. domum frequentare (Sall. Cat. 14. 7) to be a regular visitor at a house. domus rimas agit the house walls are beginning to crack. apud eum sic fui tamquam domi meae (Fam. I felt quite at home in his house. apud aliquem esse to be at some one's house. tectum subire to enter the house. tecto, (in) domum suam aliquem recipere to welcome to one's house (opp. to shut (opp. *prohibere aliquem tecto, domo*) one's door against some one). domo pedem non efferre to never set foot out of doors. pedem limine efferre to cross the threshold. foras exire (Plaut. Amph. 1. 2. 35) to go out of the house. foras mittere aliquem to turn some one out of the house. in publico in the streets. in publicum prodire (Verr. 2. 1. 31) to show oneself in the streets, in public. publico carere, se abstinere to never appear in public. domi se tenere to never appear in public. deducere 218 aliquem de domo to escort a person from his house. to fight for hearth and home. et focis pugnare, certare, pro aris dimicare domi (opp. foris) at home; in one's native country. ostium, fores pulsare to knock at the door. ostium, fores aperire, claudere to open, shut the door. fores obserare to bolt the door. ianuam effringere, revellere to burst open the door.

2. Domestic Matters—Property

valvas (portam) obstruere

rem domesticam, familiarem administrare, to keep house. regere, curare

rem or opes habere, bona possidere, in to possess means, to be well off.

2:

to barricade a door (a city-gate).

ruina = fall, overthrow (metaphor. e.g. ruina rei publicae, ruinae fortunarum, Catil. 1. 6. 14). In plur. it is used of the ruins, débris resulting from an overthrow, e.g. urbs strata ruinis, a town in ruins; fumantes ruinae urbis. For "ruins" in the sense of remains of old buildings use parietinae.

Also metaph. e.g. *Macedonia te no capit.*

Notice too *deducere coloniam*; *deducere naves*, to launch ships, opposed to *subducere* = to beach a boat; *deducere adulescentes ad virum clarissimum* (<u>De Am. 1. 1</u>); *deducere de sententia aliquem*; *rem in eum locum deducere, ut...*; *de capite deducere* (opp. *addere*) *quod pernumeratum est* = to subtract from the capital the amount paid; *deducere aliquem*, to escort a person from his province to Rome

At Rome there were altars not only in the temples but also in the streets and in private houses. In a house there were usually two—one in the court, the altar of the *Penates*, another in the *atrium* on a small hearth (*focus*), this was the altar of the *Lares*. Hence *arae focique* = the altars and hearths of the *Lares* and *Penates*.

bonis esse

opibus, divitiis, bonis, facultatibus abundare

rem bene (male) gerere 220 (vid. sect. XVI.

rem familiarem tueri

rem familiarem neglegere

diligentem, frugi esse diligens paterfamilias

frugi²²¹ (opp. *nequam*) *servus*

severum imperium in suis exercere, tenere to be a strict disciplinarian in one's (De Sen. 11. 37)

in possessionem alicuius rei venire

in possessionem alicuius rei invadere

expellere aliquem domo, possessionibus pellere

demovere, deicere aliquem de possessione exturbare aliquem omnibus fortunis, e to drive a person out of house and home.

possessionibus

evertere aliquem bonis, fortunis patriis possessione alicuius rei cedere alicui (Mil.

<u>27. 75</u>)

res, quae moveri possunt; res moventes 222 (Liv. 5. 25. 6)

fundi

to be very rich.

to manage one's affairs, household, property

to manage one's affairs, household, property well or ill.

to neglect, mismanage one's household matters.

to be economical.

a careful master of the house.

a good, useful slave.

household.

to come into the possession of something.

to take forcible possession of a thing.

to turn a person out of his house, his property.

to dispossess a person.

to drive a person out of house and home. to give up a thing to some one else.

movable, personal property.

property in land; real property.

3. Habitation—Clothing

habitare 223 in domo alicuius, apud aliquem to live in some one's house. (Acad. 2. 36. 115)

domicilium (sedem ac domicilium) habere in to dwell in a certain place. aliquo loco

sedem collocare alicubi (Rep. 2. 19. 34)

constituere alicubi

to take up one's abode in a place, settle down somewhere.

sedem ac domicilium (fortunas suas) to take up one's abode in a place, settle down somewhere.

rem gerere = generally to manage one's affairs. Then specially—(1) to do business (of commercial men); (2) to administer one's estate; (3) to hold a command (of a general in the field). res gerere plur. = to carry out, accomplish undertakings, used specially of political activity.

frugi is an old case-form (either locative or dative) from an obsolete nominative frux. Cf. bonae frugi esse, to be useful; ad bonam frugem se recipere, to come to one's senses (Cael. 12. 28).

res moventes, movere is apparently sometimes used intransitively, e.g. terra movet (Liv. 35. 40; 40. 59), but here *moventes* is probably the participle of the middle *moveri* (cf. res quae moveri possunt). For parallel examples of a middle verb with a participle present or a gerundive cf. Fin. 2. 10. 31 utra voluptate stante an movente? Suet. Claud. 28 lecticam per urbem vehendi ius, Or. 2. 71. 287 ceteris in campo exercentibus, etc.

habitare locum is not used, locus habitatur is. On the other hand, we find incolere Asiam, etc., or with preps. cis, trans, inter, prope, circum-incolere being used intransitively, e.g. B. G. 1. 1. 4 Germani qui trans Rhenum incolunt. incolere is used of a number of people, habitare of individuals.

considere alicubi (Att. 5. 14. 1)

multitudinem in agris collocare

domo emigrare (B. G. 1. 31) domo profugus (Liv. 1. 1) induere vestem (without sibi)

vestem mutare (opp. ad vestitum suum to go into mourning.

redire) (Planc. 12. 29)

vestimenta (et calceos) mutare vestitus obsoletus, tritus vestis stragula or simply vestis

togatus, 224 palliatus pannis obsitus paludatus, sagatus

togam virilem (puram) sumere vestem ponere (exuere)

to take up one's abode in a place, settle

down somewhere.

to settle a large number of people in a

country. to emigrate.

homeless.

to dress oneself.

to change one's clothes (and shoes).

cast-off clothing.

drapery.

with a toga, cloak on.

in rags

in a military cloak (paludamentum, of a

general; sagum, of soldiers). to assume the toga virilis.

to undress.

4. Food—Drink

cibum sumere, capere cibum concoquere, conficere multi cibi esse, edacem esse cibum apponere, ponere alicui

corpus curare (cibo, vino, somno)

ventri deditum esse cibo se abstinere

ieiunium servare

tantum cibi et potionis adhibere quantum

satis est cibus delicatus panis cibarius

vino deditum esse, indulgere

potare

alicui bibere dare 226 alicui bibere ministrare

propino tibi hoc (poculum, salutem)

bene tibi or te!

to take food.

to digest food. to be a great eater.

to set food before a person.

to refresh oneself, minister to one's bodily

wants.

to be the slave of one's appetite. to abstain from all nourishment.

to take only enough food to support life.

delicacies. ordinary bread.

to be given to drink.

to drink to excess; to be a drunkard.

to give some one to drink. to serve some one with drink.

I drink your health.

your health!

togatus = a Roman citizen as opposed to—(1) a foreigner, (2) a soldier, (3) tunicatus, which is used of the lower classes who actually had no toga but simply tunica, cf. Hor. Ep. 1. 7. 65 tunicatus

vestem deponere = to give up wearing a garment, never use it again. Notice too ponere arma, to put down one's weapons; ponere librum (de manibus), to lay aside a book (not deponere, which would mean to lay aside for good. Cf. viii. 9).

These forms dare bibere, etc., are not Graecisms but old usages which have survived in conversational language. For the infinitive (the dative of the verbal noun) used in this way compare Verg. Aen. 1. 527 non nos aut ferro Libycos populare penates venimus, Plaut. Bacc. iv. 3. 18 parasitus modo venerat aurum petere.

inter pocula exhaurire poculum whilst drinking; at table. to empty a cup at a draught.

5. Subsistence in General

victus cotidianus *victus tenuis* (Fin. 2. 28. 90)

res ad vitam necessariae quae ad victum pertinent the necessaries of life.

res ad victum cultumque necessariae things indispensable to a life of comfort.

vitae commoditas iucunditasque

omnes ad vitam copias suppeditare alicui to provide some one with a livelihood. quae suppeditant ad victum (Off. 1. 4. 12)

copiae cotidianis sumptibus suppetunt (vid.

sect. IV. 2, note *suppeditare...*)

victum aliqua re quaerere vivere carne, piscibus, rapto (Liv. 7. 25)

de suo (opp. alieno) vivere

vitam (inopem) tolerare (B. G. 7. 77)

non habeo, qui (unde) vivam laute vivere ²²⁷ (Nep. Chab. 3. 2)

daily bread. meagre diet.

the necessaries of life.

comfort

a livelihood.

his means suffice to defray daily expenses.

to earn a livelihood by something. to live on meat, fish, by plunder.

to live on one's means. to endure a life of privation. I have no means, no livelihood.

to incur few expenses.

to limit one's expenditure.

to live a luxurious and effeminate life.

to plunge into excesses, a career of excess.

to squander one's money, one's patrimony.

to be abandoned to a life of excess.

to be abandoned to a life of excess.

to live well.

to retrench.

munificence.

current expenses.

6. Expenditure—Luxury—Prodigality

sumptum facere, insumere in aliquid to spend money on an object. sumptus effusi (vid. sect. IX. 2, note Cf. prodigal expenditure.

effusa fuga...) or profusi sumptui parcere (Fam. 16. 4)

sumptibus modum statuere sumptum minuere

sumptus perpetui (Off. 2. 12. 42) sumptus liberales (Off. 2. 12. 42)

delicate ac molliter vivere luxuria diffluere (Off. 1. 30. 106) omnium rerum copia diffluere

in luxuriam effundi

effundere, profundere pecuniam,

patrimonium

dissipare rem familiarem (suam) to squander all one's property. lacerare bona sua (Verr. 3. 70. 164) to squander all one's property.

7. Hospitality

ornare to prepare, give a feast, dinner. convivium instruere, apparare, (magnifice, splendide)

epulis instruere to load the tables with the most exquisite mensas exquisitissimis (Tusc. 5. 21. 62) viands.

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Not bene vivere, which is used of leading a moral life.

mensae exstructae caput cenae (Fin. 2. 8. 25) secunda mensa (Att. 14. 6. 2) ab ovo usque ad mala (proverb.) 228 aliquem vocare, invitare ad cenam promittere (ad cenam) (Off. 3. 14. 58) inter cenam, inter epulas promittere ad aliquem condicere alicui (ad cenam)

adhibere aliquem cenae or ad cenam, convivio or in convivium cenam alicui apponere convivia tempestiva (Arch. 6. 13) accipere aliquem (bene, copiose, laute, eleganter, regio apparatu, apparatis epulis)

deverti ad aliquem (ad [in] villam) deversari apud aliquem (Att. 6. 1. 25)

mihi cum illo hospitium est, intercedit hospitio alicuius uti hospitium cum aliquo facere, (con-)iungere hospitio aliquem accipere or excipere (domum ad se)

hospitium renuntiare (Liv. 25. 18) domus patet, aperta est mihi

invitare aliquem tecto ac domo or domum to invite some one to one's house. suam (Liv. 3. 14. 5)

a table bountifully spread.

the main dish. the dessert.

from beginning to end.

to invite some one to dinner.

to accept an invitiation to dinner.

during dinner; at table.

to promise to dine with a person.

to invite oneself to some one's house for dinner.

to welcome some one to one's table.

to set a repast before a person. a repast which begins in good time. to entertain, regale a person.

to go to a man's house as his guest.

to stop with a person, be his guest for a short time when travelling.

my relations with him are most hospitable.

to enjoy a person's hospitality.

to become a friend and guest of a person. to welcome a man as a guest in one's house.

to sever (previous) hospitable relations.

I am always welcome at his house.

8. Sociability—Intercourse—Isolation

vitae societas 229

facilitas, faciles mores (De Am. 3. 11) societatem inire, facere cum aliquo

dissipatos homines in (ad) societatem vitae to unite isolated individuals into a society.

convocare (Tusc. 1. 25. 62)

socium se adiungere alicui aliquem socium admittere assiduum esse cum aliquo uti aliquo (familiariter)

alicuius familiaritate uti usu, familiaritate, consuetudine coniunctum

esse cum aliquo

est mihi consuetudo, or usus cum aliquo

vivere cum aliquo

vetus usus inter nos intercedit

social life.

a sociable, affable disposition. to associate with some one.

to attach oneself to a person's society.

to admit a person into one's society.

to be always in some one's company.

to be on intimate terms with some one.

to be on intimate terms with some one.

to be on friendly terms with a person.

to be on friendly terms with a person. to be on friendly terms with a person.

we have known each other well for several

years.

The adj. socialis in the sense of "sociable" only occurs in late Latin, e.g. homo sociale animal (Sen.)

Lit. "from the egg to the apples," i.e. throughout the dinner; cf. integram famem ad ovum affero (Fam. 9. 20. 1).

devincire aliquem consuetudine se dare in consuetudinem alicuius se insinuare in consuetudinem alicuius (Fam.

4. 13. 6)

summa necessitudine aliquem contingere

in simultate cum aliquo sum hominum coetus, congressus fugere in solitudine vivere (Fin. 3. 20. 65) secum vivere vitam solitariam agere

to attach a person to oneself.

to devote oneself to a person's society. to insinuate oneself into a person's society.

to stand in very intimate relations to some

relations are strained between us.

to shun society. to live in solitude. to live to oneself. to live a lonely life.

9. Conversation—Audience—Conference

sermonem conferre, 230 instituere, ordiri cum to enter into conversation with some one. aliquo

se dare in sermonem cum aliquo sermonem inferre de aliqua re

in eum sermonem ²³¹ incidere, qui tum fere multis erat in ore

sermo incidit de aliqua re in sermonem ingredi sermo ortus est ab aliqua re sermonem alio transferre

medium sermonem abrumpere (Verg. Aen. <u>4. 388</u>)

sermonem producere in multam noctem to prolong a conversation far into the night. (Rep. 6. 10. 10)

sermonem habere cum aliquo de aliqua re to converse, talk with a person on a subject. (De Am. 1. 3)

hinc sermo ductus est

sermo inductus a tali exordio

multus sermo narratio, fabula

narratiuncula, fabella (Fin. 5. 15)

haec fabula docet convenire aliquem

congredi cum aliquo

sui potestatem facere, praebere alicui colloquendi copiam facere, dare conveniendi aditum 232 dare alicui 233

to enter into conversation with some one.

to turn the conversation on to a certain subject.

to talk of a subject which was then the common topic of conversation.

the conversation turned on... to begin a conversation. the conversation began with...

to turn the conversation to another topic.

break off in the middle of the conversation.

the conversation began in this way. the conversation began in this way.

a long conversation. a narrative, tale, story.

an anecdote.

this fable teaches us (without *nos*).

person (accidentally a intentionally) and talk with him.

to meet a person by arrangement, interview

to give audience to some one. to give audience to some one. to give audience to some one.

Distinguish from such phrases as incidere in sermonem (hominum), to become common talk.

audientia is not used in this connection, but only in such phrases as audientiam facere alicui or orationi alicuius, to procure a hearing.

Transcriber's Note: The original text has indeed "to listen to a person" instead of "to procure a hearing". The French edition gives "prêter l'oreille, écouter quelqu'un". Both are wrong because the

sermonem conserere in late Latin.

aditum conveniendi or colloquium ²³⁴ petere (ad colloquium) admitti (B. C. 3. 57) in congressum alicuius venire velle aliquem (Plaut. Capt. 5. 2. 24) paucis te volo tribus verbis te volo sermo cotidianus, or simply sermo coram loqui (cum aliquo) commercium loquendi et audiendi capita conferre (Liv. 2. 45) remotis arbitris or secreto intra parietes (Brut. 8. 32)

to ask a hearing, audience, interview. to obtain an audience of some one. to obtain an audience of some one. to wish to speak to some one. a word with you. a word with you. conversational language. to speak personally to... interchange of ideas; conversation. to put our heads together. in private; tête-à-tête. within four walls.

10. Greeting—Farewell

salutem alicui dicere, impertire, nuntiare aliquem salvere iubere (Att. 4. 14) quid agis? quid agitur? quid fit? Cicero Attico 236 S.D.P. (salutem of

Cicero Attico ²³⁶ S.D.P. (salutem dicit plurimam)

tibi plurimam salutem

nuntia fratri tuo salutem verbis meis (<u>Fam.</u> 7. 14)

adscribere alicui salutem (Att. 5. 20. 9)

salute data (accepta) redditaque inter se consalutare (De Or. 2. 3. 13) dextram alicui porrigere, dare

dextram iungere cum aliquo, dextras inter se iungere

te valere ²³⁷ iubeo vale or cura ut valeas bene ambula et redambula

gratulari alicui aliquid or de aliqua re

to greet a person. to greet a person. how are you?

d fit? what is going on? how are you getting on? S.D.P. (salutem dicit Cicero sends cordial greetings to Atticus.

my best wishes for your welfare. remember me to your brother.

to add to one's letter good wishes to some

after mutual greeting. to exchange greetings.

to give one's right hand to some one.

to shake hands with a person.

I bid you good-bye, take my leave.

good-bye; farewell. a safe journey to you.

to congratulate a person on something.

11. Betrothal—Marriage—Divorce

filiam alicui despondere sibi (aliquam) despondere (of the man) nuptias conciliare (Nep. Att. 5. 3) to betroth one's daughter to some one.

to betroth oneself, get engaged.

to arrange a marriage.

original German footnote says: "Es ist nicht hierfür *audientia* zu gebrauchen, welches Wort nur in der Redensart *audientiam facere alicui* oder *orationi alicuius* einem 'Gehör verschaffen', vorkommt." Compare also Lewis & Short, "A Latin Dictionary", entry "audientia".

colloquium as opposed to sermo means an interview specially arranged, usually for transaction of some business.

This and the following phrase only epistolary.

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²³⁵ quid agis? is also used as an expression of surprise, "what are you thinking of?"

valedicere alicui is poetical.

nuptias parare condicio (uxoria) (Phil. 2. 38. 99) ducere uxorem ducere aliquam in matrimonium nubere alicui nuptam esse cum aliquo or alicui uxorem habere (Verr. 3. 33. 76) dotem filiae dare

filiam alicui in matrimonio or in matrimonium collocare or simply filiam alicui collocare filiam alicui in matrimonium dare

filiam alicui nuptum dare

nuntium remittere alicui (De Or. 1. 40)

repudium dicere or scribere alicui

divortium facere cum uxore aliquam suas res sibi habere 238 iubere (Phil. 2. 28. 69)

repudium ¹ " remittere viro (Dig. 24. 3) to make preparations for a marriage.

a match.

to marry (of the man). to marry (of the man). to marry (of the woman). to be married to some one.

to be a married man.

to give a dowry to one's daughter.

to give one's daughter in marriage to someone.

to give one's daughter in marriage to some-

to give one's daughter in marriage to someone.

to separate, be divorced (used of man or woman).

to separate, be divorced (used of man or woman).

to separate from, divorce (of the man). to separate from, divorce (of the man).

to separate (of the woman).

12. Will-Inheritance

testamentum facere, conscribere to make a will. testamentum obsignare (B. G. 1. 39) to sign a will. testamentum resignare to open a will.

testamentum rescindere

to declare a will to be null and void. testamentum subicere, supponere to produce a false will. testamentum irritum facere, rumpere to annul, revoke a will. testamento aliquid cavere (Fin. 2. 31) to prescribe in one's will.

pecuniam alicui legare to leave money to a person in one's will. aliquem heredem testamento scribere, to appoint some one as heir in one's will.

alicuius mortui voluntas (suprema)

the last wishes of a deceased person. heredem esse alicui to be some one's heir. hereditate aliquid accipere to inherit something. exheres paternorum bonorum (De Or. 1. 38. disinherited.

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facere

exheredari a patre

hereditate aliquid relictum est ab aliquo

to be disinherited.

something has been left as a legacy by some

hereditas ad me or mihi venit ab aliquo I have received a legacy from a person. (Verr. 2. 1. 10)

The formula of divorce used by the man was tuas res tibi habeto, cf. Plaut. Trin. 266.

Cicero uses divortium not repudium. divortium (dis, vertere) is a separation by mutual consent, divortium est, quod in diversas partes eunt, qui discedunt (Paul. Dig. L. 16. 1. 161). In repudium one party takes the initiative, usually the husband. The formula commonly used was tua condicione non utar.

hereditatem adire, cernere heres ex asse, ex dodrante

heres ex besse

to take possession of an inheritance.

sole heir; heir to three-quarters of the

estate.

heir to two-thirds of the property.

13. Custom—Usage

assuefactus ²⁴⁰ or assuetus aliqua re in consuetudinem or morem venire

in nostros mores inducere aliquid (<u>De Or. 2.</u> <u>28</u>)

consuetudinem suam tenere, retinere, 241 servare

consuetudo inveterascit (B. G. 5. 41. 5) res obsolescit

a vetere consuetudine discedere a pristina consuetudine deflectere

in pristinam consuetudinem revocare aliquid

aliquid est meae consuetudinis

aliquid cadit in meam consuetudinem mos (moris) est, ut (Brut. 21. 84)

more, usu receptum est ut fit, ita ut fit, ut fere fit ut solet, ut fieri solet

ita fert consuetudo ex consuetudine mea (opp. praete.

consuetudinem)

more institutoque maiorum (Mur. 1. 1)

ex instituto (Liv. 6. 10. 6)

accustomed to a thing.

to become customary, the fashion.

to introduce a thing into our customs; to familiarise us with a thing.

to keep up a usage.

a custom is taking root, growing up.

a thing is going out of use, becoming obsolete.

to give up old customs. to give up old customs. to return to ancient usage.

it is my custom. it is my custom. it is customary to... it is traditional usage. as usually happens.

as usually happens.

so custom, fashion prescribes. *praeter* according to my custom.

according to the custom and tradition of my

according to traditional usage.

XIII. Commerce and Agriculture

1. Commerce in General—Purchase—Price

negotiatores ²⁴² (<u>Verr. 2. 69. 168</u>) homines negotii (always in sing.) *gerentes* negotii bene gerentes (<u>Quint. 19. 62</u>)

business-men. business-men.

good men of business.

Note *assuescere,* to accustom oneself to and *assuefacere aliquem,* to accustom some one else to...

Transcriber's Note: the original text has *retineri*. But that is wrong as can be seen from the French edition using *retinere*.

The usual term for men of business are *negotiator*, *mercator*, *caupo*, *institor*. The first two are used of merchants, wholesale dealers, *negotiator* especially when talking of the transactions (*negotia*) of business, *mercator* with reference to the profits (*merces*). *caupo* is a retail dealer, tradesman, shopkeeper; *institor*, a pedlar, commercial traveller.

to be engaged upon a transaction, carry it *negotium obire* or *exsequi*

out.

negotium (rem) conficere, absolvere

mercaturam facere

to settle, finish a transaction.

to be engaged in commerce, wholesale

to have commercial interests in Sicily.

business.

negotia habere (in Sicilia)

contrahere rem or negotium cum aliquo to have business relations with some one.

(Cluent. 14. 41)

transigere aliquid (de aliqua re) cum aliquo to transact, settle a matter with some one.

or inter se

nihil cum aliquo contrahere

quaestum facere (Fam. 15. 14)

quaestui aliquid habere (Off. 2. 3. 13) res, quae importantur et exportantur

exponere, proponere merces (venales)

parvo, vili pretio or bene emere magno or male emere

aliquid magno, parvo stat, constat aliquid nihilo or gratis constat

pretium alicui rei statuere, constituere (Att. 13. 22)

to do no business with a man. to make money.

to make a profit out of something.

imports and exports. to set out goods for sale.

to buy cheaply. to buy dearly.

a thing costs much, little. a thing costs nothing. to fix a price for a thing.

2. Money—Interest—Loans

(multum much money. grandis pecunia magna,

pecuniae)

pecunia exigua or *tenuis*

pecunia praesens (vid. sect. V. 9, note

Notice too...) or *numerata* aes (argentum) signatum

argentum (factum) (Verr. 5. 25. 63)

nummi adulterini pecuniam erogare (in classem)

pecuniam insumere in aliquid or consumere to devote money to a purpose.

in aliqua re

pecuniam numerare alicui (Att. 16. 16) pecuniam solvere

pecuniam alicui debere

pecuniam alicui credere (sine fenore, usuris)

pecuniam fenori (fenore) alicui dare,

accipere ab aliquo

pecuniam fenore occupare (Flacc. 21. 54)

pecuniam collocare 244 in aliqua re

pecunia iacet otiosa pecuniam mutuari or sumere mutuam ab

aliquo

pecuniam alicui mutuam dare

pecuniam creditam solvere

little money.

cash; ready money.

coined money; bullion.

silver plate.

bad money; base coin.

to spend money.

to pay cash.

to pay money.

to owe some one money.

to lend some one money (without interest).

to lend, borrow money at interest.

to put out money at interest. to put money in an undertaking.

the money is bringing in no interest, lies idle.

to borrow money from some one.

to lend money to some one.

to repay a loan.

In plur. magnae, multae pecuniae = large sums of money.

Sometimes absolutely, e.g. Cic. Off. 2. 25. 90 pecuniam collocare.

non solvendo 245 esse (Phil. 2. 2. 4) pecuniam exigere (acerbe) magnas pecunias ex aliqua re (e.g. ex to have a large income from a thing (e.g. metallis) facere nummus iactatur (Off. 3. 20. 80) versuram facere (Att. 5. 21. 12) nummulis acceptis (Att. 1. 16. 6)

to be bankrupt. to demand payment. from mines). the bank-rate varies. to transfer a debt. for a trifle, a beggarly pittance.

3. Money-Matters—Accounts—Audit

res nummaria or pecuniaria ratio pecuniarum argentariam facere (Verr. 5. 59. 155) argentariam dissolvere (Caecin. 4. 11) codex or tabulae ratio accepti et expensi nomina facere or in tabulas referre pecunia in nominibus 246 est pecuniam in nominibus habeo alicui expensum ferre aliquid *alicui acceptum referre aliquid* ²⁴⁷ (Verr. 2. 70. 170)

ad calculos vocare aliquid (Amic. 16. 58)

rationem alicuius rei inire, subducere

inita subductaque ratione aliquid facere rationes putare 248 cum aliquo ratio alicuius rei constat (convenit, par est) ratio acceptorum et datorum (accepti et the account of receipts and expenditure. expensi) (Amic. 16. 58) rationem diligenter conficere summam facere alicuius rei de capite deducere (vid. sect. XII. 1, note to subtract something from the capital. Notice too...) aliquid rationem alicuius rei reddere

finance; money-matters. finance; money-matters. to be a banker. to close one's bank, give up banking. account-book; ledger. to book a debt. money is outstanding, unpaid. I have money owing me. to put a thing down to a man's account. to put down to a man's credit.

to go through accounts, make a valuation of

to go through accounts, make a valuation of

to do something after careful calculation.

to balance accounts with some one.

the accounts balance.

to keep the accounts (day-book) carefully.

to compute the total of anything.

to render count of a matter; to pass it for audit.

rationem alicuius rei reposcere aliquem or ab to demand an account, an audit of a matter.

rationem ab aliquo reptere de aliqua re to demand an account, an audit of a matter.

solvendo is a predicative dative. For the development of such uses cf. nulli rei erimus postea (Plaut. Stich. 718); Ovid Met. 15. 403 dedit huic aetas vires onerique ferendo est; Liv. 4. 35 experiunda res est sitne aliqui plebeius ferendo magno honori.

nomina are properly the sums entered in the ledger as due from a person. Hence nomen solvere, dissolvere, to pay a debt.; nomen expedire, exsolvere, to get rid of a debt; bonum nomen, a safe investment (Cic. Fam. 5. 6. 2).

Also used metaphorically to "owe a thing to another's instrumentality," e.g. quod vivo tibi acceptum refero.

The original meaning of *putare* is to prune (cf. *purus, amputare*), cleanse by cutting off, then make clear, calculate, reckon. By a transference it became used of calculation, i.e. thinking, believing. Compare the history of the French *raisonner* and the Italian *ragioneria*.

(Cluent. 37. 104)

4. Rate of Interest

centesimae (sc. usurae) (Att. 5. 21. 11) interest at 1 per cent per month, 12 per cent

per annum.

binis centesimis fenerari to lend at 24 per cent.²⁴⁹
ternae centesimae 36 per cent per annum.
quaternas centesimas postulare (Att. 5. 21. to demand 48 per cent.

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semisses 6 per cent (i.e. if for 100 denarii, asses, one

pays half a denarius, half an as per

month).

semissibus magna copia est money is plentiful at 6 per cent.

usurae semissium (Colum.)6 per cent.usurae semisses (Jurists)6 per cent.

quadrantes usurae 3 per cent (a quarter of centesima).

trientes or trientariae usurae (Att. 4. 15)4 per cent.quincunx (Pers. 5. 149)5 per cent.quincunces usurae5 per cent.

fenus ex triente Id. Quint. factum erat the rate of interest has gone up from 4 per

bessibus (Att. 4. 15. 7) cent to 8 per cent. perpetuum fenus (Att. 5. 21. 13) simple interests. compound interest. anatocismus (ἀνατοκισμός) (Att. 5. 21. 11) cent to 8 per cent. simple interests. compound interest.

fenus iniquissimum, grande, grave exorbitant rate of interest.

usura menstrua monthly interest.

centesimis cum anatocismo contentum esse to be content with 12 per cent at compound

(<u>Att. 5. 21. 12</u>) interest.

5. Profit—Credit—Debt

lucrum facere (opp. damnum facere) ex to make profit out of a thing.

aliqua re

in lucro ponere aliquid (Flacc. 17. 40) to consider a thing as profit.

debitor, or is qui debetthe debtor.creditor, or is cui debeothe creditor.

fides et ratio pecuniarum credit and financial position.

fides (vid. sect. IX. 10, note fides has six...) credit is going down.

concidit

fidem derogare alicuito rob a person of his credit.fides aliquem deficere coepita man's credit begins to go down.

fides (de foro) sublata est (Leg. Agr. 2. 3. 8) credit has disappeared. credit is low throughout Italy.

fidem moliri (Liv. 6. 11. 8) to shake credit.

laborare de pecunia to have pecuniary difficulties. in summa difficultate nummaria versari to be in severe pecuniary straits.

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Transcriber's Note: The Latin expression means "at 2 percent per month" which amounts to 24 percent per year (Cp. French edition).

(Verr. 2. 28. 69)

in maximas angustias (pecuniae) adduci to be reduced to extreme financial

embarrassment.

aes alienum (always in sing.) facere, to incur debts.

contrahere

grande, magnum (opp. exiguum) aes to incur debts on a large scale.

alienum conflare

incidere in aes alienum to get into debt.
aes alienum habere to be in debt.
in aere alieno esse to be in debt.
in suis nummis versari (Verr. 4. 6. 11)
aere alieno obrutum, demersum esse to have no debts.
aere alieno oppressum esse to have pressing debts.
aes alienum dissolvere, exsolvere to pay one's debts.

nomina (cf. sect. XIII. 3) solvere, dissolvere, to pay one's debts.

exsolvere

nomina exigere (Verr. 3. 10. 28) to demand payment of, recover debts.

ex aere alieno exire to get out of debt. aere alieno liberari to get out of debt.

versurā solvere, dissolvere (Att. 5. 15. 2) to pay one's old debts by making new.

6. Building

opus locare to contract for the building of something. to undertake the contract for a work.

domum aedificandam locare, conducere to give, undertake a contract for building a

house.

aedificatorem esse (Nep. Att. 13. 1) to be fond of building.

exstruere aedificium, monumentum to erect a building, a monument.

fundamenta iacere, agereto lay the foundations.turrim excitare, erigere, facereto build a tower.oppidum constituere, condereto build, found a city.

pontem facere in flumine to build a bridge over a river. inicere pontem to build a bridge over a river. flumen ponte iungere to build a bridge over a river. pons est in flumine there is a bridge over the river.

pontem dissolvere, rescindere, interscindere to break down a bridge.

(<u>B. G. 2. 9. 4</u>)

luminibus alicuius obstruere, officere to obstruct a person's view, shut out his light by building.

7. Agriculture—Management of Stock

agrum colere (Leq. Agr. 2. 25. 67) to till the ground.

agros fertiles deserere to leave fertile ground untilled. agriculturae studere (opp. agriculturam to have a taste for agriculture.

deserere)

opus rusticum tillage; cultivation.
in agris esse, habitare to live in the country.

Also used metaphorically to overshadow, eclipse a person, cf. vi. 1.

serere; semen spargere to sow. sementem facere (B. G. 1. 3. 1) to look after the sowing. ut sementem feceris, ita metes (proverb.) as you sow, so will you reap. (De Or. 2. 65) laetae segetes the laughing cornfields. laetissimi flores (Verr. 4. 48. 107) a glorious expanse of flowers. odores, qui efflantur e floribus the perfume exhaled by flowers. messis in herbis est (Liv. 25. 15) the crop is in the blade. adhuc tua messis in herba est (proverb.) your crop is still green, i.e. you are still far from your ambition. frumenta in agris matura non sunt (B. G. 1. the corn is not yet ripe. 16. 2) messem facere to reap. fructus demetere or percipere to reap. fructus condere (N. D. 2. 62. 156) to harvest crops. *messis opīma* (opp. *ingrata*) a good harvest. arbores serere (De Sen. 7. 24) to plant trees. arbores caedere to fell trees. inopia (opp. copia) rei frumentariae want of corn; scarcity in the corn-market. want of corn; scarcity in the corn-market. difficultas annonae (Imp. Pomp. 15. 44) annona ingravescit, crescit the price of corn is going up. annona laxatur, levatur, vilior fit the price of corn is going down. caritas annonae (opp. vilitas), also simply dearth of corn; high prices. annona ad denarios 251 L in singulos modios annona corn had gone up to 50 denarii the bushel. pervenerat corn is dear. annona cara est hac annona (Plaut. Trin. 2. 4. 83) when corn is as dear as it is. rem pecuariam facere, exercere (cf. Varr R. to rear stock. R. 2. 1) pastum agere to drive to pasture. pastum ire to go to pasture. pascere gregem to feed a flock (of goats). greges pascuntur²⁵² (Verg. G. 3. 162) the herds are grazing. to keep horses, dogs. alere equos, canes animalia quae nobiscum degunt (Plin. 8. 40) domestic animals.

XIV. The State

1. Constitution—Administration—Government

forma rei publicae the constitution.
descriptio civitatis the constitution.
instituta et leges the constitution.

rem publicam constituere 253 to give the state a constitution.

denarius = about 9-1/2d., vid. <u>Gow, Companion to School Classics, p. 149</u>.

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pascere and pasci are also used metaphorically, vid. iii. s. v. oculi.

Cf. *tres viri rei publicae constituendae*.

rem publicam legibus et institutis temperare to give the state a constitution. (Tusc. 1. 1. 2)

civitati leges, iudicia, iura describere suis legibus utitur (B. G. 1. 45. 3) nullam habere rem publicam rem publicam in pristinum statum restituere

optima re publica

libera res publica, liber populus

rem publicam gerere, administrare, regere,

tractare, gubernare rei publicae praeesse

ad gubernacula (metaph. only in plur.) rei

publicae sedere

clavum rei publicae tenere

qubernacula rei publicae tractare

principem civitatis esse

principem in re publica locum obtinere

negotia publica (Off. 1. 20. 69) vita occupata (vid. sect. VII. 2)

accedere, se conferre ad rem publicam

rem publicam capessere (Off. 1. 21. 71)

in re publica or in rebus publicis versari rei publicae deesse (opp. adesse) a negotiis publicis se removere a re publica recedere in otium se referre (Fam. 99)

vita privata (Senect. 7. 22)

publico carere, forum ac lucem fugere

forensi luce carere

rem publicam tueri, stabilire res publica stat (opp. iacet) rem publicam augere, amplificare

saluti rei publicae non deesse rei publicae ²⁵⁴ causa (Sest. 47. 101) e re publica (opp. contra rem p.)

summa res publica (or summa rei publicae) commoda publica or rei publicae rationes rei publicae rationibus or simply rei publicae consulere

ad rei publicae rationes aliquid referre

in rem publicam omni cogitatione curaque to devote one's every thought to the state's incumbere (Fam. 10. 1. 2)

to give the state a constitution.

(a state) has its own laws, is autonomous.

to have no constitution, be in anarchy.

to restore the ancient constitution.

at the time of a most satisfactory government.

the Republic.

to govern, administer the state.

to have the management of the state.

to hold the reins of government.

to hold the reins of government.

to hold the reins of government.

to be the chief man in the state.

to hold the first position in the state.

public affairs.

the busy life of a statesman.

to devote oneself to politics, a political

career.

to devote oneself to politics, a political

career.

to take part in politics.

to take no part in politics.

to retire from public life.

to retire from public life.

to retire into private life.

private life.

to shun publicity.

to shun publicity.

to defend, strengthen the state.

the state is secure.

to aggrandise, extend the power of the

state.

to further the common weal.

for political reasons.

for the advantage of the state; in the

interests of the state.

the welfare of the state.

the interests of the state.

to further the public interests.

to consider a thing from a political point of

view.

welfare.

omnes curas et cogitationes in rem publicam to devote one's every thought to the state's

There being no adjective in Latin for "political," we have to make use of periphrasis with such words as res publica, civilis, popularis, etc.

conferre welfare.

omnes curas in rei publicae salute defigere to devote one's every thought to the state's

(<u>Phil. 14. 5. 13</u>) welfare.

totum et animo et corpore in salutem rei to devote oneself body and soul to the good publicae se conferre of the state.

bene, optime sentire de re publica to have the good of the state at heart.

omnia de re publica praeclara atque egregia to have the good of the state at heart. sentire

rector civitatis (<u>De Or. 1. 48. 211</u>) the head of the state. viri rerum civilium, rei publicae gerendae statesmen.

periti or viri in re publica prudentes

auctores consilii publici statesmen. principes rem publicam administrantes or statesmen.

principes rem publicam administrantes or statesmer simply *principes*

prudentia (civilis) (De Or. 1. 19. 85) statesmanship; political wisdom. homo in re publica exercitatus an experienced politician.

res civiles political questions.

plus in re publica videre to possess great political insight.

longe prospicere futuros casus rei publicae to foresee political events long before.

(De Amic. 12. 40)

alicuius in re publica or capessendae rei a man's policy is aiming at, directed publicae consilia eo spectant, ut... towards...

rei publicae muneribus orbatus banished from public life. gerendis negotiis orbatus (Fin. 5. 20. 57) banished from public life.

2. Civil Rights—Rank

aliguem

civitate donare aliquem (Balb. 3. 7) to make a man a citizen. *in civitatem recipere, ascribere, ascriscere* to enroll as a citizen, burgess.

civitatem alicui dare, tribuere, impertire to present a person with the freedom of the

civitatem mutare (Balb. 11. 27) to naturalise oneself as a citizen of another

country.

generis antiquitate florere to be of noble family.

nobilitati favere (Sest. 9. 21) to be a friend of the aristocracy. nobilitatis fautorem, studiosum esse to be a friend of the aristocracy.

homo novus 255 a parvenu (a man no member of whose

family has held curule office).

ordo senatorius (amplissimus) the senatorial order.

ordo equester (splendidissimus) the equestrian order; the knights.

summo loco natus of high rank.
nobili, honesto, illustri loco or genere natus of illustrious family.

humili, obscuro loco natus of humble, obscure origin. humilibus (obscuris) parentibus natus of humble, obscure origin.

infimo loco natus

equestri loco natus or ortus

summi (at) infimi (Pan 1 34 53)

high and law

summi (et) infimi (Rep. 1. 34. 53) high and low. homines omnis generis people of every rank.

A *novus homo* by taking office becomes for his descendants *princeps nobilitatis* (<u>Cic. Brut. 14</u>) or *auctor generis* (<u>Leg. Agr. 2. 35</u>).

homines omnium ordinum et aetatum

homo plebeius, de plebe

traduci ad plebem (Att. 1. 18. 4)

transitio ad plebem (Brut. 16. 62)

traductio ad plebem

unus de or e multis

faex populi, plebis, civitatis

infima fortuna or condicio servorum

unus e togatorum numero

people of every rank and age.

one of the people.

to get oneself admitted as a plebeian.

to transfer oneself from the patrician to the

plebeian order.

to transfer oneself from the patrician to the

plebeian order.

one of the crowd; a mere individual.

the dregs of the people.

a degraded, servile condition.

an ordinary, average Roman citizen.

3. Dignity—Position—Honours—Pre-Eminence—(cf. v. 17)

dignitatem suam tueri, defendere, retinere, to guard, maintain one's dignity.

obtinere

dignitati suae servire, consulere

aliquem ad summam dignitatem perducere to elevate to the highest dignity.

(B. G. 7. 39)

principem (primum), secundum locum to occupy the first, second position in the

dignitatis obtinere

locatum, positum esse

aliquem

praecipitare (Dom. 37. 98)

aliquem de dignitatis gradu demovere

aliquem gradu movere, depellere or de to overthrow a person (cf. sect. IX. 6).

gradu (statu) deicere

dignitatis gradum ascendere

ad honores ascendere

amplissimos honorum gradus assegui, to reach the highest grade of office.

adipisci

ad summos honores pervenire (cf. also sect. to attain to the highest offices.

V. 17)

vir defunctus honoribus

principatum tenere, obtinere

de principatu deiectus (B. G. 7. 63)

contendere cum aliquo de principatu (Nep. to contend with some one for the pre-

Arist. 1)

primas (e.g. sapientiae) alicui deferre, to give the palm, the first place (for wisdom)

tribuere, concedere

to be careful of one's dignity.

state.

in altissimo dignitatis gradu collocatum, to occupy a very high position in the state.

ex altissimo dignitatis gradu to depose, bring down a person from his

elevated position.

to overthrow a person (cf. sect. IX. 6).

to attain a position of dignity.

to rise, mount to the honours of office.

a man who has held every office (up to the

consulship).

to occupy the leading position.

deposed from one's high position.

eminence.

to some one.

4. Public Meetings—Suffrage

convocare populi concilium and populum ad to summon an assembly of the people. concilium

contionem advocare (Sall. Iug. 33. 3)

to summon an assembly of the people.

agere cum populo ²⁵⁶ (<u>Leg. 3. 4. 1</u>0) concilium indicere, habere, dimittere

comitia habere comitia magistratibus creandis comitiis (Abl.) convenire comitiis consulem creari

suffragium ferre (vid. sect. VI. 4, note Not to vote (in the popular assembly).

sententiam...)

multitudinis suffragiis rem permittere

to submit a formal proposition to the people.

to fix the day for, to hold, to dismiss a meeting.

to hold a meeting of the people. meetings for the election of officers.

to meet for elections.

to be chosen consul at the elections.

to leave a matter to be decided by popular vote.

5. Laws—Bills

legem, rogationem 257 promulgare (Liv. 33. to bring a bill before the notice of the 46)

legem ferre or simply ferre ad populum, ut... legem suadere (opp. dissuadere)

pro lege dicere

legem rogare or rogare populum (cf. sect.

XVI. 4, note Aulus Gellius...) legem perferre (Liv. 33. 46)

lex perfertur

legem antiquare ²⁵⁸ (opp. accipere, iubere)

legem sciscere (Planc. 14. 35)

legem iubere

legem sancire

Solo lege sanxit, ut or ne

Solonis legibus sanctum erat, ut or ne

legem abrogare ²⁵⁹ (Att. 3. 23. 2) legem tollere (Leg. 2. 12. 31)

legi intercedere

legem proponere in publicum

edictum proponere (Att. 2. 21. 4) legem in aes incīdere

people.

to propose a law in the popular assembly.

to support a bill (before the people).

to support a bill (before the people).

to formally propose a law to the people.

to carry a law (said of the magistrate).

a law is adopted.

to reject a bill.

to vote for a law.

to ratify a law (used of the people).

to let a bill become law (of the people and senate).

Solo ordained by law that...

the laws of Solon ordained that...

to replace an old law by a new.

to abolish a law.

to protest against a law (used of the veto, intercessio, of plebeian tribunes).

to bring a law before the notice of the people.

to publish, post up an edict.

to engrave a law upon a brazen tablet.

Aulus Gellius (13. 16. 3) explains the difference between *cum populo agere* and *contionem habere*; the former = rogare quid populum quod suffragiis suis aut iubeat aut vetet. Cf. Liv. 22. 10. 2 velitis iubeatisne haec sic fieri? also 21. 17. 4. habere contionem (conventio = countio = contio) is equivalent to verba facere ad populum sine ulla rogatione.

A rogatio had to be posted up in some public place for trinum nundinum (tempus) (Phil. 5. 3. 8), i.e. for seventeen days, *nundinae* (novem, dies) being a holiday, fair, held every ninth day.

On the voting-tablets (tabellae) used in the comitia was written either A (antiquo) to reject the bill, V * R (uti rogas) to pass it; in judicial questions A (absolvo), C (condemno), N * L (non liquet).

legi or de lege derogare = to reject a clause in it; legem abrogare, to nullify a law by passing another which contradicts it; multam, poenam inrogare alicui, to inflict a fine on some one with the approval of the people; pecuniam erogare (ex aerario in classem), to draw money from the treasury and distribute it according to the wishes of the people.

lex rata est (opp. irrita) a law is valid. to declare a law valid. legem ratam esse iubere a lege discedere to transgress a law. salvis legibus (vid. sect. X. 7, note Notice...) without breaking the law. lex 260 iubet, vetat (dilucide, planissime) the law orders, forbids (expressly, distinctly). in lege scriptum est, or simply est the law says... sententia or voluntas legis the spirit of the law. leges scribere, facere, condere, constituere to make laws (of a legislator). (not *dare*) legum scriptor, conditor, inventor a legislator. a legislator. qui leges scribit (not legum lator) in legem iurare (Sest. 16. 37) to swear obedience to a law. lege teneri to be bound by a law. legibus solvere to free from legal obligations. on condition of... ea lege, ut a thing is illegal. aliquid contra legem est to declare a magistrate's decisions null and acta rescindere, dissolvere (Phil. 13. 3. 5) void.

maximi).

to record in the official tablets (Annales

6. Popular Favour—Influence—Unpopularity

in album referre (De Or. 2. 12. 52)

aura favoris popularis (Liv. 22. 26) popular favour; popularity. populi favor, gratia popularis popular favour; popularity. aura popularis (Harusp. 18. 43) popular favour; popularity. auram popularem captare (Liv. 3. 33) to court popularity. gratiam populi quaerere to court popularity. aurae popularis homo (Liv. 42. 30) a popular man. ventum popularem quendam (in aliqua re) to strive to gain popular favour by certain quaerere means. gratiosum esse (opp. invisum esse) to be popular, influential. opibus, gratia, auctoritate valere, florere to have great influence. opes, gratiam, potentiam consequi to acquire influence. gratiam inire apud aliquem, ab aliquo (cf. to gain some one's favour. sect. V. 12) to raise oneself by another's fall. crescere ex aliquo crescere ex invidia senatoria to profit by the unpopularity of the senate to gain influence oneself. iacēre (vid. sect. VII. 1, note iacēre...) to be politically annihilated. existimatio populi, hominum public opinion. multum communi hominum opinioni tribuere to be always considering what people think. invidia unpopularity. offensio populi, popularis unpopularity. offensa populi voluntas unpopularity. invidia dictatoria (Liv. 22. 26) the feeling against the dictator.

ex invidia alicuius auram popularem petere to use some one's unpopularity as a means

of making oneself popular.

lex is often personified in this way.

(Liv. 22. 26)

legis lator = the man who proposes a law.

7. Party-Spirit—Neutrality—Politics—Aristocracy—Democracy

partes (usually of plebeians) a party; faction. factio (of aristocrats) a party; faction. partium studium, also simply studia party-spirit. partium studiosum esse to be a strong partisan. certamen partium party-strife. contentio partium (Phil. 5. 12. 32) party-strife. partium studiis divisum esse to be torn by faction. consiliorum in re publica socius a political ally. alicuius partes (causam) or simply aliquem to embrace the cause of..., be a partisan seaui alicuius partibus studere to embrace the cause of..., be a partisan of... ab (cum) aliquo stare (Brut. 79. 273) to be on a person's side (not ab alicuius partibus). alicuius studiosum esse to be a follower of some one. cum aliquo facere (Sull. 13. 36) to take some one's side. nullius or neutrius (of two) partis esse to be neutral. in neutris partibus esse to be neutral. neutram partem segui to be neutral. medium esse to be neutral. medium se gerere to be neutral. a partibus rei publicae animus liber (Sall. an independent spirit. Cat. 4. 2) idem de re publica sentire to have the same political opinions. ab aliquo in re publica dissentire to hold different views in politics. owing to political dissension. ex rei publicae dissensione in duas partes discedere (Sall. Iug. 13. 1) to divide into two factions. studio ad rem publicam ferri to throw oneself heart and soul into politics. se civilibus fluctibus committere to enter the whirlpool of political strife. imperium singulare, unius dominatus, monarchy. regium imperium optimatium dominatus aristocracy (as a form of government). civitas, quae optimatium arbitrio regitur aristocracy (as a form of government). boni cives, optimi, optimates, also simply the aristocracy (as a party in politics). boni (opp. improbi); illi, qui optimatium causam agunt principes or primores the aristocracy (as a leading class in government). nobiles; nobilitas; qui nobilitate generis the aristocracy (as a social class). excellunt paucorum dominatio or potentia oligarchy. multitudinis dominatus or imperium government by the mob. spiritus patricii (Liv. 4. 42) patrician arrogance; pride of caste. *homines graves* (opp. *leves*) men of sound opinions. homo popularis a democrat. homo vere popularis (Catil. 4. 5. 9) a man who genuinely wishes the people's good. homo florens in populari ratione a democratic leader.

imperium populi or *populare, civitas* or *res* democracy.

publica popularis

causam popularem suscipere or defendere

to take up the cause of the people, democratic principles.

to be a leading spirit of the popular cause.

populi causam agere patriae amantem (amantissimum) esse (Att. to be (very) patriotic.

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mundanus, mundi civis et incola (Tusc. 5. a citizen of the world; cosmopolitan.

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8. Demagogy—Revolution—Rebellion—Anarchy

plebis dux, vulgi turbator, civis turbulentus, a demagogue, agitator.

civis rerum novarum cupidus iactatio, concitatio popularis

artes populares populariter agere

conversio rei publicae (Div. 2. 2. 6)

homines seditiosi, turbulenti or novarum revolutionists.

rerum cupidi

novis rebus studere

novarum rerum cupidum esse novas res moliri (Verr. 2. 125) contra rem publicam sentire contra rem publicam facere

a re publica deficere

plebem concitare, sollicitare seditionem facere, concitare

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coniurare (inter se) de c. Gerund. or ut... coniurationem facere (Catil. 2. 4. 6) conspirare cum aliquo (contra aliquem)

rem publicam labefactare rem publicam perturbare statum rei publicae convellere

rem publicam vexare

rem publicam funditus evertere

omnes leges confundere omnia turbare ac miscere

perturbatio omnium rerum (Flacc. 37) omnia divina humanaque iura permiscentur

(B. C. 1. 6. 8)

leges nullae iudicia nulla

res fluit ad interregnum

non nullus odor est dictaturae (Att. 4. 18)

tumultum sedare (B. C. 3. 18. 3)

popular agitation. tricks of a demagogue. to play the demagogue.

revolution.

to hold revolutionary opinions. to hold revolutionary opinions.

to plot a revolution.

to foster revolutionary projects. to be guilty of high treason.

to betray the interests of the state.

to stir up the lower classes.

to cause a rebellion. a rebellion breaks out. to form a conspiracy. to form a conspiracy. to conspire with some one.

to shake the stability of the state. to throw the state into confusion. to endanger the existence of the state.

to damage the state.

to completely overthrow the government, the state.

to upset the whole constitution. to cause universal disorder. general confusion; anarchy. anarchy reigns supreme.

lawlessness; anarchy. lawlessness; anarchy.

things seem tending towards an interregnum.

there are whispers of the appointment of a dictator.

to quell an outbreak.

But bellum exardescit, war breaks out.

concitatam multitudinem reprimere plebem continere

to allay the excitement of the mob. to hold the people in one's power, in check.

9. Proscription—Confiscation—Banishment—Amnesty

proscribere aliquem or alicuius possessiones

aqua et igni interdicere alicui

in proscriptorum numerum referre aliquem to place a person's name on the list of the (Rosc. Am. 11. 32)

e proscriptorum numero eximere aliquem

bona alicuius publicare (B. G. 5. 54)

bona alicui restituere

in exsilium eicere or expellere aliquem ex urbe (civitate) expellere, pellere aliquem de, e civitate aliquem eicere

exterminare (ex) urbe, de civitate aliquem (Mil. 37. 101)

e patria exire iubere aliquem

patria carere

interdicere alicui Italiā

aliquem exsilio afficere, multare in exsilium ire, pergere, proficisci

exsulatum ire or abire

solum vertere, mutare (Caecin. 34. 100)

exsulare (Div. 2. 24. 52) in exsilio esse, exsulem esse aliquem (in patriam) restituere in patriam redire

ante actarum (praeteritarum) rerum oblivio

or simply *oblivio*

omnem memoriam discordiarum oblivione to proclaim a general amnesty.

sempiterna delere (Phil. 1. 1. 1)

postliminium (De Or. 1. 40. 181)

to proscribe a person, declare him an outlaw.

to proscribe a person, declare him an outlaw.

proscribed.

to erase a person's name from the list of the proscribed.

to confiscate a person's property.

to restore to a person his confiscated property.

to banish a person, send him into exile.

to banish a person, send him into exile.

to banish a person, send him into exile.

to expel a person from the city, country.

to banish a man from his native land.

to be in exile.

to banish a person from Italy.

to punish by banishment.

to go into exile. to go into exile.

to leave one's country (only used of exiles).

to live in exile. to live in exile. to recall from exile. to return from exile.

amnesty (ἁμνηστία).

a returning from exile to one's former privileges.

10. Power—Monarchy—Royalty

imperium, rerum summam deferre alicui 263 rem publicam alicui permittere

imperium tenere (in aliquem) imperium obtinere

principatu deici (B. G. 7. 63) cum imperio esse (cf. XVI. 3) to confer supreme power on a person.

to give some one unlimited power in state affairs.

to have power over some one.

to maintain power, authority.

to be deposed from one's leading position.

to have unlimited power; to be invested with

deferre in the sense "confer," "attribute," is also constructed with ad; when it means to bring news, give information it always takes ad.

in imperio esse

imperium in annum prorogare imperium deponere (Rep. 2. 12. 23) imperium singulare dominari in aliquem imperium, regnum, tyrannidem 265 occupare rerum potiri

dominatio impotens potestas immoderata, infinita tyrannidem concupiscere tyrannidem sibi parere aliqua re

regnum appetere (B. G. 7. 4) regnum adipisci alicui regnum deferre, tradere aliquem regem, tyrannum constituere regem restituere

aliquem in regnum restituere

aliquem regno spoliare or expellere (Div. 1. to depose a king. 22. 74)

regios spiritus sibi sumere

imperium.

to hold a high office (such as conferred consulatus, *imperium*, i.e. dictatura, praetura).

to prolong the command for a year.

to lay down one's power. absolute power; autocracy.

to have unlimited power over a person.

to take upon oneself absolute power.

(1) to usurp supreme power, (2) to be in a position of power.

despotic, tyrannous rule. despotic, tyrannous rule. to aspire to a despotism.

to establish oneself as despot, tyrant by some means.

to aspire to the sovereignty.

to obtain the sovereignty, kingly office. to invest some one with royal power.

to establish some one as king, tyrant.

to restore a king to his throne (not in solium).

to restore a king to his throne (not in solium).

to assume a despotic tone.

11. Slavery—Freedom

servitute premi (Phil. 4. 1. 3) liberum populum servitute afficere aliquem in servitutem redigere alicui servitutem iniungere, imponere civitatem servitute oppressam tenere (Dom. 51. 131)

libertatem populo eripere

populum liberum esse, libertate uti, sui iuris esse pati

aliquem in servitutem abducere, abstrahere aliquem sub corona vendere (B. G. 3. 16) iugum servitutis accipere libertas, libertatis studium imperium oppugnare, percellere

to languish in slavery. to enslave a free people. to reduce to slavery.

to lay the yoke of slavery on some one. to keep the citizens in servile subjection.

to rob a people of its freedom. to grant a people its independence.

to carry off into slavery.

to sell a prisoner of war as a slave. to submit to the yoke of slavery.

independent spirit.

to attack, overthrow a tyranny.

Cf. certamen singulare, a fight of one individual with another, a duel (cf. xvi. 10a). singularis also has the meaning "unique," "pre-eminent," e.g. singularis virtus.

tyrannus, tyrannis, tyrannicus are rarely used in the Greek sense, irresponsible sovereign, etc., but usually mean despot, despotic, etc. The pure Latin equivalents are rex, dominus, dominatio, imperium, regius, or if there is emphasis on the cruelty of despots, dominus saevus, crudelis et superba dominatio, etc.

ad libertatem conclamare to summon to liberty. ad arma conclamare (Liv. 3. 50) to call to arms. to burst one's chains. vincula rumpere to shake off the yoke of slavery. iugum servitutis excutere iugum servile a cervicibus deicere (Phil. 1. 2. to shake off the yoke of slavery. servitutem exuere (Liv. 34. 7) to shake off the yoke of slavery. iugum servile alicui demere to deliver some one from slavery. to deliver some one from slavery. ab aliquo servitutem or servitutis iugum depellere dominationem or dominatum refringere to destroy a despotism, tyranny.

regios spiritus reprimere (Nep. Dion. 5. 5) to destroy a despotism, tyranny. libertatem recuperare to destroy a despotism, tyranny. to recover liberty.

rem publicam in libertatem vindicare a or ex to deliver the state from a tyranny.

dominatione

12. Revenue—Colonies—Provinces

vectigalia redimere, conducere to farm the revenues. vectigalia exercere (vid. sect. V. 7, note The first...) to collect the taxes.

vectigalia exigere (acerbe) to exact the taxes (with severity).

pecuniam cogere a civitatibus to extort money from the communities.

vectigalia, tributa 266 pendere to pay taxes.

immunis (tributorum) (Verr. 5. 21. 51)exempt from taxation.immunitatem omnium rerum habereto enjoy absolute immunity.vectigalia, tributa alicui imponereto impose tribute on some one.tributorum multitudine premito be crushed by numerous imposts.ager publicuspublic land; state domain.

agros assignare (Leg. Agr. 1. 6. 17) to allot land.

pecunia publica, quae ex metallis redit the public income from the mines.

avertere pecuniam (Verr. 2. 1. 4) to embezzle money. peculatum facere (Rab. Perd. 3. 8) to embezzle money.

rem publicam quaestui habere to enrich oneself at the expense of the state.

coloniam deducere in aliquem locum (vid. to found a colony somewhere. sect. XII. 1, note Notice too...)

colonos mittere (<u>Div. 1. 1. 3</u>) to send out colonists. coloniam constituere (<u>Leg. Agr. 1. 5. 16</u>) to found a colony. provinciam constituere (<u>num decernere</u>, mandare to entrust some one with an official constituer.

to entrust some one with an official duty, a province.

provincias sortiri (Liv. 38. 35) to draw lots for the provinces. alicui Syria (sorte) obvēnit, obtigit the province of Syria has f

the province of Syria has fallen to some one's lot.

(the magistrates) arrange among themselves the administration of the provinces, the

vectigalia = indirect taxes, including, for example, decumae, the tenth, tithe of corn; scriptura, the duty on pasturage; portorium, harbour-toll. tributum = direct tax on incomes.

provincia originally means a sphere of activity, an employ, especially of magistrates; it then means the administration of a country outside Italy conquered in war, and lastly the country itself, a province. The senate each year determined on the countries to which magistrates were to be sent (provincias nominare, decennee).

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provincias inter se comparant

in provinciam proficisci (Liv. 38. 35) provincias permutare provinciam administrare, obtinere provinciam obire (de or ex) provincia decedere or simply decedere (vid. sect. II. 4, note Cf. especially...)

offical spheres of duty. to set out for one's province. to exchange provinces. to manage, govern a province. to visit, traverse a province. to leave a province (at the termination of

13. Magistracies

(a) Candidature—Election

petere magistratum, honores ambire 268 aliquem (always with Acc. of to solicit the vote or favour of some one. person) nomen profiteri or simply profiteri manus prensare ²⁶⁹ (De Or. 1. 24. 112) nomina appellat (nomenclator) competitor (Brut. 30. 113) multa (pauca) puncta in centuria (tribu) aliqua ferre 270 centuriam, tribum ferre (Planc. 49) omnes centurias ferre or omnium suffragiis, cunctis centuriis creari repulsam ferre consulatus (a populo) (Tusc. <u>5. 1</u>9. 54) magistratus vitio creati

sufficere aliquem in alicuius locum or alicui

alicui or in alicuius locum succedere alicui imperatori succedere suo (legitimo) anno creari (opp. annum) continuare magistratum (Sall. Iug. 37. 2) continuare alicui magistratum

prorogare alicui imperium (in annum)

to seek office.

to become a candidate.

one's term of office).

to shake hands with voters in canvassing. the agent (nomenclator) mentions the names of constituents to the canvasser.

a rival candidate.

to obtain many (few) votes in a century or tribe.

to gain the vote of a century or tribe.

to be elected unanimously

to fail in one's candidature for the consulship.

magistrates elected irregularly (i.e. either auspices have the unfavourable or when some formality has been neglected).

to elect a man to fill the place of another who has died whilst in office.

to succeed a person in an office.

to succeed some one as general.

ante to be elected at the age required by law (lex Villia annalis).

to continue one's office for another year.

to prolong some one's office for another year.

to prolong a person's command.

²⁶⁸ Hence *ambitio*, legitimate canvassing; *ambitus*, illegal canvassing.

Under the head ambitionis occupatio (De Or. 1. 1. 1) are enumerated salutare, rogare, supplicare, manus prensare, invitare ad prandium, and sometimes convivia tributim data. For the whole subject vid. Q. Cicero's book de petitione consulatus ad M. fratrem.

In counting the votes polled, a dot or mark was put opposite a candidate's name as often as a tablet (tabella) with his name on it came up. Hence punctum ferre, to be successful, e.g. Hor. A. P. 343 omne tulit punctum qui miscuit utile dulci.

magistratus et imperia (Sall. Iuq. 3. 1) inire magistratum munus administrare, gerere munere fungi, muneri praeesse honores alicui mandare, deferre muneri aliquem praeficere, praeponere munus explere, sustinere abdicare se magistratu (Div. 2. 35)

deponere 271 magistratum

abire magistratu

de potestate decedere

res ad interregnum venit or adducitur abrogare alicui munus (Verr. 2. 57) abrogare alicui imperium

viri clari et honorati (De Sen. 7. 22) honoribus ac perfunctus (De Or. 1. 45) amplis honoribus usus (Sall. Iug. 25. 4) civil and military offices.

to enter into office.

to perform official duties.

to perform official duties.

to invest a person with a position of dignity.

to appoint some one to an office.

to fulfil the duties of one's position.

to resign one's post (before the expiry of the term of office).

to give up, lay down office (usually at the end of one's term of office).

to give up, lay down office (usually at the end of one's term of office).

to give up, lay down office (usually at the end of one's term of office).

an interregnum ensues.

to remove a person from his office.

to deprive a person of his position as commandant.

men of rank and dignity.

reipublicae muneribus a man who has held many offices.

a man who has held many offices.

(b) Particular Magistracies

consulem creare 272

aliquem consulem declarare (Leg. Agr. 2. 2. to declare a person consul-elect.

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bis consul

iterum, tertium consul

sextum (Pis. 9. 20), septimum consul

videant or dent operam consules, ne guid let the consuls take measures for the res publica detrimenti capiat 273 (Catil. 1. 2.

in hoc praeclaro consulatu

aetas consularis

pro consule in Ciliciam proficisci

superiore consulatu

dictatorem dicere (creare)

dictaturam gerere

dictator dicit (legit) magistrum equitum

to elect a consul.

aliquem consulem renuntiare (De Or. 2. 64. to offically proclaim (by the praeco, herald) a man elected consul; to return a man consul.

twice consul.

consul for the second, third time. consul for the sixth, seventh time.

protection of the state.

during this brilliant consulship. the consular age (43 years). to go to Cilicia as pro-consul. in his former consulship. to name a person dictator.

to be dictator.

a dictator appoints a *magister equitum*.

But deponere is also found in the sense of abdicare, e.g. B. G. 7. 33. 4; N. D. 2. 11; Liv. 2. 28. 9.

creare is used of any magistrate regularly elected. The locus classicus on this subject is Cic. De <u>Leg. 3. 3. 6-12</u>.

This formula conferred absolute power on the consuls. This was done only in cases of great emergency, and was somewhat similar to our "declaration of martial law."

potestatem habet in aliquem vitae necisque he has power over life and death. (B. G. 1. 16. 5)

lictores summovent turbam (Liv. 4. 50) fasces praeferre, summittere

censores censent populum

censum habere, agere (Liv. 3. 22)

censuram agere, gerere

locare aedes, vias faciendas (Phil. 9. 7. 16)

locare opera publica

redimere, conducere porticum aedificandam (Div. 2. 21. 47)

nota, animadversio censoria

notare aliquem ignominia (Cluent. 43. 119)

censu prohibere, excludere tribu movere aliquem e senatu eicere

senatu movere

lustrum condere (Liv. 1. 44. 2)

tribuni plebis sacrosancti (Liv. 3. 19. 10)

appellare 274 tribunos plebis (in aliqua re a to appeal to the plebeian tribunes against a *praetore*) (Liv. 2. 55)

provocare ²⁷⁵ ad populum (Liv. 2. 55)

intercessio tribunicia (cf. sect. XIV. 5)

the lictors clear the way.

to walk before with the fasces; to lower the fasces.

the censors hold a census of the people.

to hold the census.

to perform the censors' duties.

to receive tenders for the construction of temples, highroads.

to let out public works to contract.

to undertake a contract for building a portico.

the reprimand of a censor.

to brand a person with infamy.

to strike off the burgess-roll.

to expel some one from his tribe.

to expel from the senate.

to expel from the senate.

to complete the censorship (by certain formal purificatory ceremonies = lustro faciendo).

the plebeian tribunes, whose persons are inviolable.

praetor's decision.

to appeal to the people.

the tribunicial veto.

14. The Senate

publicum consilium (Phil. 7.7. 19) in senatum legere, 276 eligere senatum vocare, convocare senatum cogere (Liv. 3. 39) edicere, 277 ut senatus frequens adsit (Fam. 11<u>. 6. 2</u>)

senatum habere

ad senatum referre 278 (Cic. Dom. 53. 136)

the council of the nation; the senate.

to elect to the senate.

to call a meeting of the senate.

to assemble the senate.

to issue a proclamation calling on the senators to assemble in full force.

to hold a sitting of the senate.

to bring a question before the senate (of the presiding magistrate).

appellare as a legal technical term only occurs in classical Latin in the formula te, vos appello.

provocare only with proper names, e.g. ad Catonem provocare. To appeal to some one's pity, etc. = implorare alicuius misericordiam, fidem, etc.

Distinct from *senatum legere* = to read over and revise the list of senators (used of the censors). The head of the list was called *princeps senatus*.

edicere, edictum, technical terms; edicere is used of the praetor deciding how a case is to be tried, cf. Verr. 2. 1. 41; Flacc. 28. 67. Then more generally of an order, declaration, proclamation. The senate was convened by the *praeco* or by means of a notice posted in some public place (*edictum*).

A meeting of the senate opened by a declaration of the agenda by the presiding magistrate, a consul, praetor, or tribune. This was called referre ad senatum.

patres (senatum) consulere de aliqua re to consult the senators on a matter. (Sall. Iug. 28)

sententiam rogare, interrogare

sententiam dicere

senatus sententia inclīnat ad... (De Sen. 6.

sententia vincit (Liv. 2. 4. 3)

maior pars

quid censes? quid tibi videtur? quid de ea re fieri placet? discessionem facere (Sest. 34. 74)

discedere (pedibus), ire in

sententiam^{2/9} (Liv. 23. 10)

senatus decrevit (populusque iussit) ut

senatus consultum fit (Att. 2. 24. 3)

senatus auctoritas

senatum alicui dare (Q. Fr. 2. 11. 2) a senatu res ad populum reicitur

dicendi mora diem extrahere, eximere, tollere

dimittere senatum ²⁸⁰ nox senatum dirimit

to ask the opinion of...

to give an opinion (also used of a judge, cf. sect. VI. 4).

the senate inclines to the opinion, decides

the majority were of the opinion...

the majority.

what is your opinion? what is your opinion?

to take the vote (by division). alicuius to vote for some one's motion.

> the senate decreed (and the people ratified the decree) that...

> a resolution of the senate (not opposed by a tribunicial veto) was made.

the opinion of the senate in general.

to give a man audience before the senate.

a matter is referred (for decision) from the senate to the people.

to pass the whole day in discussion.

to dismiss the senate. night breaks up the sitting.

XV. Law and Justice

1. Law in General

ius dicere

ius reddere (Liv. 3. 33)

ius suum persegui

ius suum adipisci (Liv. 1. 32. 10) ius suum tenere, obtinere

de iure suo decedere or *cedere*

(ex) iure, lege agere cum aliquo

summo iure agere cum aliquo (cf. summum to proceed against some one with the

ius, summa iniuria)

in ius, in iudicium vocare aliquem

to administer justice (said of the praetor).

to administer justice (said of the praetor).

to assert one's right.

to obtain justice.

to maintain one's right. to waive one's right.

to go to law with a person.

utmost rigour of the law; to strain the law in one's favour.

to summon some one before the court.

After the rogatio sententiarum came the voting, usually by division (per discessionem, pedibus ire in sententiam), but in cases of doubt each member was asked his opinion (per singulorum sententias exquisitas). The presiding officer then dismissed the meeting with the words nihil vos moramur, patres conscripti, "I need not detain you any longer." From this formula probably came the colloquial uses-(1) "I do not care for...," "I have no interest in..." (with the Acc.); (2) "I have nothing against...," "you have my consent to..." (with the Acc. and Inf. or quominus). ²⁸⁰ id.

diem dicere alicui

in iudicium venire, in iudicio adesse iudicia administrare

iudicium exercere (vid. sect. V. 7, note The to administer justice; to judge (used of first...)

iudicio praeesse

conventus agere (B. G. 1. 54)

quaestiones perpetuae (Brut. 27. 106) aliquem in integrum (vid. sect. V. 4, note The proper...) restituere

- (1) respondere 281 (de iure or ius)
- (2) *cavere (in iure)* (Off. 2. 65)
- (3) agere

aeguum iudicem se alicui praebere ex aequo et bono (Caecin. 23. 65) iudex incorruptus ratio iudiciorum aequa iuris descriptio (Off. 2. 4. 15) aequo iure vivere cum aliquo iustitium indicere, edicere (Phil. 5. 12)

iustitium remittere ius ad artem redigere ius nullum ius ac fas omne delere omnia iura pervertere contra ius fasque optimo iure ius praecipuum, beneficium, donum, also prerogative, privilege. *immunitas* ²⁸² c. Gen.

to summon some one to appear on a given day; to accuse a person.

to appear in court.

to have charge of the administration of justice.

criminal cases before the praetor).

to be president of a court.

to convene the assizes (used of a provincial governor).

the standing commissions of inquiry. to reinstate a person in his right.

to give a legal opinion, decision on points of

to point out what precautions, what formal steps must be taken to insure immunity.

to be energetic in the conduct of the case; to plead before the judge.

to judge some one equitably.

justly and equitably.

an impartial judge. judicial organisation.

a sound judicial system.

to live with some one on an equal footing.

to proclaim that the courts are closed, a cessation of legal business.

to re-open the courts.

to reduce law to a system.

absence of justice.

to trample all law under foot. to trample all law under foot.

against all law, human and divine.

with full right.

2. Inquiry—Testimony—Torture

aliquid, causam cognoscere quaerere aliquid or de aliqua re quaestionem habere de aliquo, de aliqua re to examine a person, a matter. or *in aliquem*

quaestioni praeesse quaesītor

incognita causa (cf. sect. XV. 3, indicta without any examination.

to hold an inquiry into a matter. to hold an inquiry into a matter.

to preside over an inquiry. the examining judge.

In full consulenti respondere. From this consultation lawyers got the title iuris or iure consulti. In these three points, respondere, cavere, agere, consisted the practical duty of a jurist. Cicero, however (De Or. 1. 48), adds scribere = to draw up legal instruments such as wills, contracts, etc.

privilegium in this sense is post-classical. In classical prose it denotes a law passed for or against

an individual (privus), e.g. privilegium ferre, irrogare de aliquo (Cic.)

causa)

in tabulas publicas referre aliquid deprehendere aliquem (in aliqua re) deprehendere aliquem in manifesto scelere

testis gravis testis locuples

testis incorruptus atque integer

aliquem testem alicuius rei (in aliquid) citare

aliquem testem adhibere

aliquo teste uti

aliquem testem dare, edere, proferre

aliquem testem producere testem prodire (in aliquem) testimonium dicere pro aliquo

pro testimonio dicere

testibus teneri, convictum esse alicui admovere tormenta quaerere tormentis de aliquo de servis quaerere (in dominum)

cruciatūs tormentorum

aliquem a ceteris separare et in arcam conicere ne quis cum eo colloqui possit

(Mil. 22. 60)

to enter a thing in the public records.

to catch a person, find him out.

to take a person in the act.

an important witness.

a witness worthy of all credit.

an impartial witness.

to cite a person to give evidence on a

matter.

to use some one's evidence.

to use some one's evidence.

to produce as a witness.

to produce as a witness.

to appear as witness against a person.

to give evidence on some one's behalf.

to state as evidence.

to be convicted by some one's evidence.

to have a person tortured. to have a person tortured.

to examine slaves by torture. the pains of torture.

to isolate a witness.

3. Process—Defence

causa privata

causa publica (Brut. 48. 178)

causam alicuius agere (apud iudicem)

causam dicere, orare (Brut. 12. 47)

causam dicere

causam dicere pro aliquo

causam alicuius defendere

causam optimam habere (Lig. 4. 10)

causam inferiorem dicendo reddere

superiorem (τὸν ἥττω λόγον κρείττω ποιειν)

(Brut. 8. 30)

patronus²⁸³ (causae) (De Or. 2. 69)

causam suscipere

ad causam aggredi or accedere

indicta causa (opp. cognita causa)

litem alicui intendere

adhuc sub iudice lis est (Hor. A. P. 77)

lites componere (Verg. Ecl. 3. 108)

causam or litem obtinere

a civil case.

a criminal case.

to conduct a person's case (said of an agent,

solicitor).

to address the court (of the advocate).

to defend oneself before the judge (of the

accused).

to defend a person.

to conduct some one's defence in a case.

to have a good case.

to gain a weak case by clever pleading.

counsel; advocate.

to undertake a case.

to undertake a case.

without going to law.

to go to law with, sue a person.

the case is still undecided.

to arrange a dispute (by arbitration).

to win a case.

They were not called *advocati* till under the Empire. In Augustan Latin *advocatus* = *amicus qui adest alicui (in iudicio)*, i.e. a man who supported his friend by his presence and influence.

causā or iudicio vincere causam or litem amittere, perdere causā or lite cadere (owing to some to lose one's case. informality)

to win a case. to lose one's case.

calumniae litium (Mil. 27. 74)

chicanery (specially of wrongfully accusing an innocent man).

4. Accusation—Verdict—Decision

accusatio (Cael. 3. 6) actio, petitio nomen alicuius deferre (apud praetorem) to accuse, denounce a person. (Verr. 2. 38. 94)

referre in reos aliquem eximere de reis aliquem

aliquis reus fit (Fam. 13. 54) iudices reicere (Verr. 3. 11. 28) crimina diluere, dissolvere

accusare aliquem rei capitalis (rerum to charge some one with a capital offence. capitalium)

caput alicuius agitur (vid. sect. V. 8)

accusare aliquem peculatus, publicae

accusare aliquem falsarum tabularum ²⁸⁴ postulare aliquem repetundarum 285 repetundis accusare aliquem perduellionis

accusare aliquem maiestatis

accusare aliquem ambitus, de ambitu accusare aliquem de vi, de veneficiis accusare aliquem inter sicarios (Rosc. Am. 32, 90)

sententiae iudicum

sententiam ferre, dicere (Off. 3. 16. 66)

iudicare causam (de aliqua re) iudicium rescindere res iudicatas rescindere (Cic. Sull. 22. 63) lege Plautia damnari (Sall. Cat. 31. 4)

a criminal accusation. a private, civil prosecution.

to put some one on the list of the accused. to strike a person's name off the list of the accused.

some one is accused. to challenge, reject jurymen.

to refute charges.

a person's life is in jeopardy.

pecuniae to accuse some one of malversation, embezzlement of public money.

to accuse a person of forging the archives.

or de to accuse a person of extortion (to recover the sums extorted).

> to charge a person with treason (hostile conduct against the state generally).

> to accuse a person of high treason (more specific than the preceding).

to accuse some one of illegal canvassing. to accuse a person of violence, poisoning.

to accuse a person of assassination.

the finding of the jury.

to give sentence (of the judge, cf. sect. VI. 4, note *Not...*).

to decide on the conduct of the case.

to rescind a decision.

to rescind a decision.

to be condemned under the Lex Plautia.

5. Guilt

in culpa esse

to be at fault; to blame; culpable.

Cf. tabulas publicas corrumpere (Rosc. Am. 128); commutare, to falsify public records.

Extortion generally can be rendered by violenta exactio pecuniarum, or some verbal periphrasis (e.g. *per vim capere pecunias*, etc.)

culpa alicuius rei est in aliquo

mea culpa est culpa carere, vacare extra culpam esse abesse a culpa prope abesse a culpa affinem esse culpae

culpam in aliquem conferre, transferre,

conicere

culpam alicui attribuere, assignare

aliquid alicui crimini dare, vitio vertere (Verr.

<u>5. 50</u>)

culpam committere, contrahere facinus, culpam in se admittere

non committere, ut...

culpam alicuius rei sustinere culpam a se amovere ²⁸⁶

veniam dare alicui

some one is to blame in a matter; it is some one's fault.

it is my fault.

to be free from blame.
to be free from blame.
to be free from blame.
to be almost culpable.
to be almost culpable.

to put the blame on another.

to attribute the fault to some one.

to reproach, blame a person for...

to commit some blameworthy action. to commit some blameworthy action.

to take care not to...

to bear the blame of a thing. to exonerate oneself from blame.

to pardon a person.

6. Punishment—Acquittal

poena afficere aliquem (Off. 2. 5. 18)

animadvertere in aliquem

punire aliquem

ulcisci aliquem (pro aliqua re) poenas alicuius persequi

poenam petere, repetere ab aliquo

poenas expetere ab aliquo supplicium sumere de aliquo

hanc poenam constituere in aliquem, ut... graviter consulere in aliquem (Liv. 8. 13)

poenas (graves) dare alicui

poenas alicui pendere (alicuius rei)

poenas dependere, expendere, solvere,

persolvere

poenam (alicuius rei) ferre, perferre

poenam luere (alicuius rei) (Sull. 27. 76) luere ²⁸⁷ aliquid aliqua re (De Sen. 20)

poenam subire

pecunia multare aliquem

multam irrogare alicui (Cic. Dom. 17. 45)

decem milibus aeris damnari in vincula (custodiam) dare aliquem to punish some one.

to punish some one.

to punish some one.

to punish some one.

to exact a penalty from some one.

to ordain as punishment that...

to deal severely with a person.

to be (heavily) punished by some one.

to be punished by some one (on account of

a thing).

to suffer punishment.

to suffer punishment.

to be punished for a thing, expiate it.

to atone for something by...

to submit to a punishment.

to condemn some one to a fine.

to impose a fine (used of the prosecutor or the *tribunus plebis* proposing a fine to be

ratified by the people). to be fined 10,000 asses.

to put some one in irons, chains.

Note *purgare aliquid*, to justify oneself in a matter; *se alicui purgare de aliqua re* (<u>Fam. 12. 25</u>); *alicui purgatum esse* (<u>B. G. 1. 28</u>).

To express the passive use *expiari*, e.g. *scelus supplicio expiatum*.

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in vincula, in catenas conicere aliquem in carcerem conicere aliquem capitis or capite damnare aliquem capitis absolvere aliquem

to put some one in irons, chains. to throw some one into prison. to condemn some one to death.

to repeal a death-sentence passed on a person.

supplicium alicui decernere, in aliquem to decree the penalty of death. constituere

Solo capite sanxit, si quis... (Att. 10. 1) morte multare aliquem (Catil. 1. 11. 28)

Solon made it a capital offence to... to punish any one with death.

supplicium sumere de aliquo supplicio (capitis) affici ad palum deligare (Liv. 2. 5)

to execute the death-sentence on a person.

virgis caedere

to suffer capital punishment. to bind to the stake.

securi percutere, ferire aliquem in crucem agere, tollere aliquem to beat with rods. to execute a person, cut off his head.

cruci suffigere aliquem

to crucify. to crucify.

impune fecisse, tulisse aliquid impunitum aliquem dimittere

to go unpunished.

mortem ²⁸⁸ deprecari (B. G. 7. 40. 6)

to let a person go scot-free.

to beg for life.

XVI. War

1. Levies—Military Oath—Armies in General

aetas militaris

qui arma ferre possunt or iuventus

qui per aetatem arma ferre non possunt or

aetate ad bellum inutiles

exercitum conficere (Imp. Pomp. 21. 61) milites (exercitum) scribere, conscribere

dilectum habere imperare milites civitatibus nomen (nomina) dare, profiteri ad nomen non respondere (Liv. 7. 4) militiam (only in the sing.) capessere militiam detrectare, subterfugere excusare morbum, valetudinem

militiae vacationem habere

equo, pedibus merere (Liv. 27. 11)

sacramentum (o) dicere (vid. sect. XI. 2, to take the military oath.

note *sacramentum...*)

milites sacramento rogare, adigere

evocare undique copias evocati, voluntarii (B. G. 5. 56) omnes ad arma convocare efficere duas legiones complere legiones (B. C. 1. 25) military age. men of military age.

men exempt from service owing to age.

to raise an army.

to levy troops.

to hold a levy.

to compel communities to provide troops.

to enlist oneself.

to fail to answer one's name. to take service in the army. to try to avoid military service.

to plead ill-health as an excuse for absence.

to be excused military duty. to serve in the cavalry, infantry.

to make soldiers take the military oath.

to call up troops from all sides.

the volunteers.

to issue a general call to arms.

to form two legions.

to fill up the numbers of the legions.

One can also say vitam, salutem deprecari, as deprecari means (1) to obtain by supplication, (2) to avert by supplication.

supplementum cogere, scribere, legere

auxilia 289 arcessere

copias (arma) cum aliquo iungere or se cum

aliquo iungere

conducere, contrahere copias

cogere omnes copias in unum locum

parare exercitum, copias alere exercitum (Off. 1. 8. 25)

recensere, lustrare, recognoscere exercitum

(Liv. 42. 31)

dimittere exercitum

commeatum militibus dare (opp. petere)

magnae copiae (not multae) exiguae copiae (Fam. 3. 3. 2)

ingens, maximus exercitus (not numerosus)

robora peditum

milites levis armaturae

vetus miles, veteranus miles qui magnum in castris usum habent

expeditus (opp. impeditus) miles

exercitatus in armis

milites tumultuarii 290 (opp. exercitus iustus)

(Liv. 35. 2) tirones

to levy recruits to fill up the strength.

to summon auxiliary troops.

to join forces with some one.

to concentrate troops.

to concentrate all the troops at one point.

to equip an army, troops. to support an army.

to review an army.

to disband an army.

to give furlough, leave of absence to

soldiers.

a large force, many troops.

a small force. a numerous army.

the flower of the infantry.

light infantry.

veterans; experienced troops. veterans; experienced troops.

a soldier lightly armed, ready for battle.

practised in arms.

soldiers collected in haste; irregulars.

recruits.

2. Pay—Service—Commissariat

dare, numerare, persolvere to pay the troops. stipendium militibus

stipendia facere, merere emeritis stipendiis (Sall. Iug. 84. 2)

militia functum, perfunctum esse

rude donatum esse ²⁹² (Phil. 2. 29)

milites mercennarii or exercitus conducticius rem frumentariam comparare, providere

rei frumentariae prospicere (B. G. 1. 23)

frumentum providere exercitui frumenti vim maximam comparare

intercludere commeatum

to serve.

after having completed one's service.

to retire from service. to retire from service. mercenary troops.

to look after the commissariat. to look after the commissariat.

to provide corn-supplies for the troops. to procure a very large supply of corn.

to cut off the supplies, intercept them.

auxilia = auxiliary troops raised in the provinces, usually light cavalry. In Caesar's army the cavalry consisted of Gaulish, Spanish, and German auxiliaries. A thousand of these were attached to each legion and were usually commanded by a Roman officer.

tumultus is used of a sudden rising, rebellion, to repress which all able-bodied men were called to arms. Such risings were particularly common in Gaul, but cf. tumultus servilis (B. G. 1. 10)—; tumultus Istricus (Liv. 41. 6. 1).

stipendium first established in 406 B.C.; it was paid at the end of the campaign, hence stipendia often = campaigns, years of service.

Used originally of gladiators, who on their retirement received a staff or wooden sword (*rudis*), hence they were called rudiarii. Cf. Ov. Tr. 4. 8. 24 me quoque donari iam rude tempus erat.

intercludere, prohibere hostes commeatu

to cut off all supplies of the enemy.

3. Command—Discipline

praeficere aliquem exercitui

praeficere aliquem bello gerendo

praeesse exercitui

magnum usum in re militari habere (Sest. 5. 12)

rei militaris rudem esse

vir fortissimus magnas res gerere

res fortiter feliciterque gesta

res bene gesta res gestae 293

summa belli, imperii (B. G. 2. 4. 7)

cum imperio esse

imperii summam tenere (Rep. 2. 28)

imperii summae praeesse

imperii summam deferre alicui or ad to appoint some one commander-in-chief.

aliquem, tradere alicui

imperium transfertur ad aliquem (not transit)

imperium alicui abrogare (Off.3. 10) modestia²⁹⁴ (opp. immodestia)

dicto audientem esse alicui milites disciplina coercere

milites coercere et in officio continere (B. C. to keep good discipline amongst one's men.

1. 67. 4)

to place some one at the head of an army, give him the command.

to charge some one with the conduct of a war.

to be at the head of an army.

to possess great experience in military matters.

to have had no experience in war.

a hero.

to perform heroic exploits.

a success; a glorious feat of arms. a success; a glorious feat of arms.

exploits in war; brilliant actions.

the command-in-chief. to hold a high command. to be commander-in-chief.

to be commander-in-chief.

the command is transferred, passes to some

to depose a person from his command.

discipline (insubordination). to obey a person's orders.

to keep good discipline amongst one's men.

4. Weapons

arma capere, sumere

arma expedire (Tusc. 2. 16. 37)

galeam induere

armis (castris) exuere aliquem arma ponere (not deponere)

ab armis discedere (Phil. 11. 33)

in armis esse cum telo esse

extorquere arma e manibus

to take up one's arms. to make ready for battle. to put on one's helmet.

to disarm a person.

to pile arms (cf. sect. XII. 3, note vestem deponere...).

to lay down arms. to be under arms. to be armed.

to wrest weapons from some one's hands.

Thus magnae, memorabiles, praestantissimae res gestae, and also meae, tuae, suae, etc. The phrase rem gerere can be used either of the combat (proelium) or the whole war (bellum), cf. B. G. 5. 44. 11; Off. 3. 108.

modestia, the character of the man who observes a mean (qui servat modum), is used morally of self-restraint, moderation (σωφροσύνη). In politics it means loyalty; in the army, discipline.

res ad arma venit tela iacere, conicere, mittere extra teli iactum, coniectum esse ad teli coniectum venire (Liv. 2. 31) se obicere telis eminus hastis, comminus gladiis uti

gladium educere (e vagīna) gladium in vaginam recondere gladium stringere, destringere gladium alicui in pectus infigere gladio aliquem per pectus transfigere (Liv. 2. 46)

sicam, cultrum in corde alicuius defigere 295 (Liv. 1. 58)

decurrere (in armis)

vi et armis

matters have reached the fighting-stage.

to discharge missiles. to be out of range.

to come within javelin-range. to expose oneself to missiles.

to use javelins at a distance, swords at close quarters.

to draw one's sword (from the scabbard).

to sheath one's sword. to draw one's sword.

to plunge one's sword in some one's breast.

to transfix, pierce a man's breast with one's

to plunge a dagger, knife in some one's heart.

to manoeuvre. by force of arms.

5. War

bellum parare apparatus (rare in plur.) belli bellum indīcere, denuntiare res repetere (ab aliquo) (Off. 1. 11. 36) res reddere (alicui) (cf. sect. V. 11)

bellum iustum (pium)

bellum intestinum, domesticum (opp. bellum

externum)

bellum facere, movere, excitare bellum conflare (Fam. 5. 2. 8)

bellum moliri

bellum incipere, belli initium facere (B. G. 7. to commence hostilities.

bello se interponere (Liv. 35. 48)

bello implicari

bellum cum aliquo inire

bellum impendet, imminet, instat

bellum oritur, exardescit

omnia bello flagrant or ardent (Fam. 4. 1. 2)

bellum gerere cum aliquo

bellum coniungere (Imp. Pomp. 9. 26)

bellum ducere, trahere, extrahere omni studio in (ad) bellum incumbere bellum inferre alicui (Att. 9. 1. 3)

bellum or arma ultro inferre

bellum (inlatum) defendere

proficisci ad bellum, in expeditionem (Sall. to go to war, commence a campaign.

to make preparations for war.

preparations for war; war-material. to make formal declaration of war. to demand satisfaction, restitution.

to make restitution. a regular, formal war.

a civil war.

to cause a war. to kindle a war. to meditate war.

to interfere in a war.

to be involved in a war.

to begin a war with some one.

a war is imminent.

war breaks out.

everywhere the torch of war is flaming.

to make war on a person.

to wage war in conjunction with some one.

to protract, prolong a war. to carry on a war energetically.

to invade.

to be the aggressor in a war; to act on the offensive.

to act on the defensive.

defigere is also used metaphorically, e.g. defigere omnes curas, cogitationes in rei publicae salute (Phil. 14. 5. 13).

Iug. 103)

mittere ad bellum bellum administrare

bello persegui aliquem, lacessere belli finem facere, bellum finire bellum conficere, perficere

bellum componere (Fam. 10. 33) bellum transferre alio, in...

belli sedes (Liv. 4. 31)

rationem belli gerendi mutare (Liv. 32. 31)

to send to the war.

to have the control of the war.

to harass with war.

to put an end to war.

to terminate a war (by force of arms and defeat of one's opponents).

to terminate a war (by a treaty, etc.)

to transfer the seat of war elsewhere.

the seat of war, theatre of operations.

to change one's tactics.

6. The Army on the March

agmen medium (Liv. 10. 41)

agmen primum

agmen novissimum (extremum)

agmen claudere, cogere

signa ²⁹⁶ ferre, tollere

castra movere agmen agere

procedere cum exercitu

magnis itineribus (Sall. Iuq. 37)

quam maximis itineribus (potest)

citatum agmen rapere raptim agmen ducere

citato gradu incedere (cf. sect. II. 5)

loca, regiones, loci naturam explorare

iter facere

iter conficere (B. C. 1. 70)

iter maturare, accelerare

iter continuare (B. C. 3. 11)

iter non intermittere

iter flectere, convertere, avertere

signa convertere (B. G. 1. 25)

averso itinere contendere in...

iter tentare per vim (cf. sect. II. 3)

agmen, exercitum demittere in...

exercitum admovere, adducere ad...

signa segui (opp. a signis discedere, signa

relinguere)

ordines servare (B. G. 4. 26)

confertis, solutis ordinibus

raris ordinibus

ordines turbare, perrumpere

the centre of the marching column.

the vanguard.

the rearguard.

to bring up the rear.

to begin the march, break up the camp.

to begin the march, break up the camp.

to set the army in motion.

to advance with the army.

by forced marches.

by the longest possible forced marches.

to lead the army with forced marches.

to lead the army with forced marches.

to advance rapidly.

to reconnoitre the ground.

to march.

to traverse a route.

to guicken the pace of marching.

to march without interruption.

not to interrupt the march.

to deviate, change the direction.

to deviate, change the direction.

to change one's route and march towards...

to force a way, a passage.

to march down on to...

to advance on...

to follow the standards.

to keep the ranks.

with close ranks; with ranks in disorder.

in open order.

to break the ranks.

signa = standards of a maniple, cohort, or legion. Since Marius' time the signum of a legion was an eagle, those of the maniples different animals, wolf, horse, etc. In the camp the standards were fixed in the ground, in action they were carried in the front rank, hence several phrases—signa convellere, tollere, efferre, to break up camp; signa proferre, promovere, to advance in battle-order; signa inferre, to attack; signa conferre, to come to close quarters; signa statuere, to halt; signa convertere, to change one's route; signa referre, to retire; signa relinquere, to desert, etc.

agmine quadrato incedere, ire

agmine duplici, triplici novissimos premere novissimos turbare novissimos carpere novissimis praesidio esse

opprimere hostes (imprudentes, incautos,

inopinantes)

subsistere, consistere gradum sistere capere, occupare locum

occupare loca superiora praeoccupare locum (Liv. 35. 27)

tenere montem (B. G. 1. 22)

consistere in monte

considere sub monte (sub montis radicibus)

praesidiis firmare urbem praesidium collocare in urbe praesidia, custodias disponere vicilias crobras popera (Sall Ju

vigilias crebras ponere (Sall. Iug. 45. 2)

to march with closed ranks, in order of battle.

in two, three columns. to press the rearguard.

to throw the rearguard into confusion.

to harass the rear.

to protect the troops in the rear. to surprise and defeat the enemy.

to halt.

to occupy a position (with troops). to occupy the high ground. to occupy a place beforehand.

to hold a mountain.

to take up one's position on a mountain.

to occupy the foot of a hill.

to garrison a town. to garrison a town.

to station posts, pickets, at intervals. to place a close line of sentry-posts.

7. The Camp

castra stativa (Sall. Iug. 44)

castra hiberna, aestiva castra ponere, locare

idoneo, aequo, suo (opp. iniquo) loco

castra metari (B. C. 3. 13)

milites in hibernis collocare, in hiberna

deducere castra munire

castra munire vallo (aggere)

fossam ducere

vallum iacere, exstruere, facere

castra praesidiis firmare

praesidio castris milites relinquere

castra coniungere, iungere (B. C. 1. 63)

castra nudare (B. G. 7. 70) cohors, quae in statione est

vigilias agere in castris (Verr. 4. 43)

custodias agere in vallo stationes agere pro portis

circumvenire vigilias (Sall. Iug. 45. 2)

tesseram dare (Liv. 28. 14) copias castris continere se (quietum) tenere castris

excursionem in hostium agros facere

praedatum ire

a permanent camp.

winter-quarters, summer-quarters.

to encamp.

in a favourable position. to mark out a camp.

to take the troops to their winter-quarters.

to make a fortified, entrenched camp.

to fortify the camp with a rampart.

to make a ditch, a fosse. to raise a rampart, earthwork.

to strengthen the camp by outposts. to leave troops to guard the camp.

to make a camp in common.

to leave the camp undefended. the cohort on quard-duty.

to mount guard in the camp.

to keep watch on the rampart. to be on duty before the gates.

to make the round of the sentries. to give the watchword, countersign.

to keep the troops in camp. to remain inactive in camp.

to make an inroad into hostile territory.

to go in search of plunder, booty.

ferre atque agere 297 praedam capere equos lignatum, aquatum ire pabulatum, frumentatum ire pabulatione premi (B. C. 1. 78) omnia ferro ignique, ferro atque igni or ferro flammaque vastare classicum or tuba canit ad praetorium

vasa conclamare (B. C. 3. 37)

vasa colligere (Liv. 21. 47) signa convellere (vid. sect. XVI. 6, note to pluck up the standards out of the ground signa...) consilium habere, convocare rem ad consilium deferre

to carry off booty. to capture horses.

to go to fetch wood, water.

to forage.

to suffer from want of forage. to ravage with fire and sword.

the bugle, trumpet sounds before the general's tent.

to give the signal for breaking up the camp, collecting baggage.

to pack the baggage (for marching).

(to begin the march).

to hold a council of war.

to refer a matter to a council of war.

8. A Siege

oppidum natura loci munitum (B. G. 1. 38) oppidum manu (opere) munitum oppidum obsidere oppidum obsidione claudere oppidum in obsidione tenere oppidum fame domare oppidum oppugnare oppidum cingere vallo et fossa

opera facere vineas agere (B. G. 3. 21) turres instituere, exstruere

testudine facta moenia subire (B. G. 2. 6)

scalas admovere (B. C. 3. 63) positis scalis muros ascendere aries murum attingit, percutit iter ruina patefactum patentia ruinis (vid. XII. 1, note ruina...) cuniculos agere (B. G. 3. 21) oppidum tormentis verberare tela ingerere, conicere murum nudare defensoribus eruptionem facere ex oppido crebras ex oppido excursiones facere (B. G. to make a sally, sortie from the town.

ignem inferre operibus (B. C. 2. 14) subsidium alicui summittere munitiones perrumpere

a town with a strong natural position.

a town artificially fortified.

to besiege a city. to besiege a city.

to keep a town in a state of siege. to starve a town into surrender.

to storm a town.

to surround a town with a rampart and fosse.

to raise siege-works.

to advance pent-houses, mantlets.

to raise towers.

to advance to the walls protected by a covering of shields.

to apply scaling-ladders.

to scale the walls by means of ladders. the battering-ram strikes the wall.

a breach.

a breach.

to make mines, subterraneous passages. to rain missiles on a town, bombard it. to discharge showers of missiles.

to drive the defenders from the walls. to make a sally, sortie from the town.

to set fire to the siege-works. to send relief to some one.

to break through the lines (and relieve a town).

ferre of things inanimate, agere of cattle. Cf. φέρειν καὶ ἄγειν.

urbis obsidionem liberare oppidum obsidione liberare obsidionem quattuor menses sustinere oppugnationem, obsidionem relinquere portas obstruere (B. G. 5. 50) portas refringere claustra portarum revellere in oppidum irrumpere in oppidum irruptionem facere oppidum capere, expugnare oppidum recipere oppidum incendere oppidum diripere oppidum evertere, excidere oppidum solo aequare deditione facta (Sall. Iug. 26) arma tradere salutem petere a victore

se suaque omnia dedere victori

se suaque omnia permittere victoris potestati to give up one's person and all one's

alicuius (B. G. 2. 3) in fidem recipere aliquem (Fam. 13. 16)

(B. G. 3. 16. 4)

cum uxoribus et liberis aliquem (incolumem) conservare to raise a siege (used of the army of relief). to raise a siege (used of the army of relief).

to hold out for four months. to give up an assault, a siege.

to barricade the gates. to break down the gates. to break down the gates. to break into the town. to break into the town.

to take, storm a town. to retake a town. to fire a town.

to plunder a town.

to completely destroy a town. to raze a town to the ground.

after capitulation. to surrender weapons.

to beg for mercy from the conqueror.

to give up one's person and all one's possessions to the conqueror.

possessions to the conqueror.

se permittere in fidem atque in potestatem to surrender oneself to the discretion of some one.

to deal mercifully with some one. libera corpora sub corona (hasta) veneunt the free men are sold as slaves.

> with wife and child. to grant a man his life.

9. Before the Fight

potestatem, copiam *pugnandi hostibus* to offer battle to the enemy. facere

potestatem sui facere (alicui) (cf. sect. XII. to accept battle.

9, note *audientia...*) proelio (ad pugnam) hostes lacessere, to provoke the enemy to battle.

provocare

pugnam detrectare (Liv. 3. 60)

supersedere proelio

hostem e manibus non dimittere locum ad pugnam idoneum deligere

diem pugnae constituere (B. G. 3. 24) signum proelii (committendi) exposcere (B. G. 7. 19)

signum proelii dare

vexillum proponere (Liv. 22. 3)

ad arma concurrere exercitum educere or producere in aciem ad vim et arma descendere (vid. sect. V. 9,

to decline battle. to refrain from fighting. to not let the enemy escape.

suitable choose ground for an engagement.

to fix a day for the engagement.

to demand loudly the signal to engage.

to give the signal to engage.

to fix the ensign on the general's tent (as a signal to commence the engagement).

to rush to arms.

to lead the army to the fight. to have recourse to force of arms. note *Similarly...*)

in certamen descendere in aciem descendere (Liv. 8. 8)

aciem (copias, exercitum) instruere or in acie to draw up forces in battle-order.

constituere

aciem triplicem instruere (B. G. 1. 24)

aciem explicare or dilatare

media acies

subsidia collocare equites ad latera disponere (B. G. 6. 8)

contionari apud milites (B. C. 1. 7) contionem habere apud milites

ad virtutem excitare, cohortari (or simply

adhortari, cohortari)

animos militum confirmare (B. G. 5. 49)

to engage in the fight. to enter the field of battle.

to draw up the army in three lines.

to extend the line of battle, deploy the

battalions.

the centre.

to station reserve troops.

to place the cavalry on the wings.

to harangue the soldiers. to harangue the soldiers.

to incite to valour.

to encourage, embolden the soldiery.

10. The Fight

(a) The Fight in General

proelium committere

proelium inire (Liv. 2. 14)

proelium facere

proelio equestri contendere proelium equestre facere proelium facere secundum

proeliis secundis uti

rem (bene, male) gerere (vid. sect. XII. 2,

note rem gerere...) proelium intermittere

proelium dirimere (B. C. 1. 40)

proelium restituere

proelium renovare, redintegrare

proelium deserere

proelio, armis decertare (B. G. 1. 50)

acie (armis, ferro) decernere

in acie dimicare proelio interesse ex equo pugnare

certamen singulare povocare aliquem ad certamen singulare

proelium cruentum, atrox

proelium iustum (opp. tumultuarium)

(1) to begin the battle, (2) to give battle.

to engage. to give battle.

to give battle with a cavalry-division. to give battle with a cavalry-division.

to fight successfully. to fight successfully.

to win, lose a fight (of the commander).

to interrupt the battle.

to break off the fight.

to renew the battle with success.

to begin the fight again. to give up the fight. to fight a decisive battle. to fight a pitched battle. to fight a pitched battle.

to take part in the engagement.

to fight on horseback.

single combat.

to challenge some one to single combat.

a bloody battle. a pitched battle.

(b) The Attack

classicum canit (B. C. 3. 82) gradum inferre in hostem aggredi hostem

the trumpet sounds for the attack. to march on the enemy. to attack the enemy.

invadere, impetum²⁹⁸ facere in hostem signa inferre in hostem

impetum sustinere (B. G. 1. 26) *impetum excipere* (Liv. 6. 12)

in medios hostes se inicere

per medios hostes (mediam hostium aciem)

perrumpere

manum (us) conserere cum hoste

signa conferre cum hoste 300

proelio concurritur (Sall. Iug. 59)

adversis hostibus occurrere aversos hostes aggredi hostes a tergo adoriri

iusto (opp. tumultuario) proelio confligere

cum hoste (Liv. 35. 4)

acies inclinat or inclinatur (Liv. 7. 33)

proelium anceps est ancipiti Marte pugnatur diu anceps stetit pugna

res est in periculo, in summo discrimine res ad triarios ³⁰¹ redit (<u>Liv. 8. 8</u>)

to attack the enemy. to attack the enemy. to resist the attack, onset.

to parry the attack.

to rush into the midst of the foe. to break through the enemy's centre.

to come to close quarters. to come to close quarters.

the lines charge in battle one on another.

to attack the enemy in the front. to attack the enemy in the rear. to attack the enemy in the rear.

to fight a pitched, orderly battle with an enemy.

the line of battle gives way.

the issue of the battle is undecided. the issue of the battle is undecided.

the issue of the day was for a long time

uncertain.

the position is critical.

the triarii must now fight (proverbially = we are reduced to extremities).

(c) Close Quarters

collatis signis (viribus) pugnare tum pes cum pede collatus est (Liv. 28. 2) collato pede (Liv. 6. 12) gladio comminus (opp. eminus) rem gerere omissis pilis gladiis rem gerere

res ad gladios vēnit res gladiis geri coepta est strictis gladiis in hostem ferri

res ad manus venit laxatis (opp. confertis) ordinibus pugnare ferarum ³⁰² ritu pugnare to fight hand-to-hand, at close quarters. a hand-to-hand engagement ensued. hand to hand.

to fight with swords at close quarters.

to throw down the javelins (*pila*) and fight with the sword.

swords must now decide the day. swords must now decide the day.

to throw oneself on the enemy with drawn sword.

the fighting is now at close quarters.

to fight in open order.

to fight like lions.

impetus is not used in the dative sing. or in the plur.; these cases are supplied by incursio.

Caesar's method of attack was usually this: the troops drawn up on rising ground charged at the double (*concursus*); when within range came *emissio telorum* or *pilorum*. This was followed up by a hand-to-hand *mêlée* (*impetus gladiorum*).

signa conferre cum aliquo also sometimes means to join forces.

The *triarii* were the veterans who made up the third line behind the *principes* and *hastati*. If these first two lines were beaten or in difficulties (*laborare*), the *triarii*, who were in a kneeling posture (*dextro genu innixi*, Liv. 8. 9), stood up (*consurgebant*, Liv. 8. 10) and continued the fight. Hence this proverb (*inde rem ad triarios redisse cum laboratur proverbio increbuit*). For the organisation of the legion in general *vid*. Liv. book 8.

personally brave.

(d) Tactics—Reinforcements

in latus hostium incurrere circumvenire hostem aversum or *a tergo* (<u>B.</u> G. 2. 26)

multitudine hostium cingi

equitatu superiorem esse parem (opp. imparem) esse hosti orbem ³⁰³ facere (Sall. Iug. 97. 5) in orbem consistere

cuneum facere (Liv. 22. 47) phalangem facere (B. G. 1. 24) phalangem perfringere subsidia summittere

integros defatigatis summittere

rari dispersique pugnare (B. C. 1. 44) integri et recentes defatigatis succedunt

to fall upon the enemy's flank.

to surround the enemy from the rear.

to be surrounded by the superior force of the enemy.

to have the advantage in cavalry. to be a match for the enemy.

to form a square. to form a square.

to draw up troops in a wedge-formation.

to form a phalanx.

to break through the phalanx.

to send up reserves.

to send fresh troops to take the place of those wearied with fighting.

to fight in skirmishing order. fresh troops relieve the tired men.

(e) Successful Attack

pellere hostem acies hostium impellitur

loco movere, depellere, deicere hostem (B.

G. 7. 51)

summovere or reicere hostium equites

repellere, propulsare hostem undique premi, urgeri (<u>B. G. 2. 26</u>) prosternere, profligare hostem to repulse the enemy. the enemy's line is repulsed.

to drive the enemy from his position.

to repel the attack of the enemy's cavalry.

to repulse an attack. to be pressed on all sides.

to rout the enemy.

(f) Retreat—Flight—Pursuit

signa receptui canunt receptui canitur (B. G. 7. 47)

pedem referre

equitatus tutum receptum dat se recipere (B. G. 7. 20)

loco excedere

in fugam dare, conicere hostem

fugare hostem

the retreat is sounded. the retreat is sounded.

to retire (without turning one's back on the

enemy).

the cavalry covers the retreat. to withdraw one's forces. to abandon one's position. to put the enemy to flight. to put the enemy to flight.

The Latin language uses the general term (*fera*) where we use the special (lion). Similarly *pecorum modo fugiunt* (Liv. 40. 27), where we translate "they flee like deer."

orbis properly a circle, but corresponding almost exactly in its objects to our square-formation (vid. <u>B. G. 4. 37, 5. 33</u>; <u>Sall. Iug. 97. 5</u>). For a good account of Roman military formation see Kraner, *Uebersicht des Kriegswesens bei Caesar*, in his edition of the *Bellum Gallicum*.

fundere hostium copias caedere et fundere hostem fundere et fugare hostem prae se agere hostem fugam facere (Sall. Iug. 53) terga vertere or dare terga dare hosti

fugae se mandare (B. G. 2. 24) fugam capessere, capere se dare in fugam, fugae

se conicere, se conferre in fugam

fuga salutem petere

fuga effusa, praeceps (Liv. 30. 5) pecorum modo fugere (Liv. 40. 27)

arma abicere

praecipitem se fugae mandare

ex (in) fuga dissipati or dispersi (B. G. 2. 24)

hostes insequi, prosequi hostes (fusos) persequi

hostes assequi, consequi fugientibus instare tergis hostium inhaerere

fugam hostium reprimere (B. G. 3. 14)

excipere aliquem fugientem

magna caedes hostium fugientium facta est

capere aliquem vivum

effugere, elābi e manibus hostium

dimittere e manibus hostes

eripere aliquem e manibus hostium

se fuga recipere (B. G. 1. 11)

to rout the enemy's forces. to utterly rout the enemy. to utterly rout the enemy. to drive the enemy before one.

(1) to put to flight, (2) to take to flight.

to flee, run away.

to run away from the enemy.

to take to flight. to take to flight. to take to flight. to take to flight.

to seek safety in flight.

headlong flight.

to flee like deer, sheep. to throw away one's arms.

to flee headlong.

soldiers routed and dispersed.

to pursue the enemy.

to follow up and harass the enemy when in flight.

to overtake the enemy. to press the fugitives.

to be on the heels of the enemy. to bring the flying enemy to a stand.

to cut off some one's flight.

there was great slaughter of fugitives.

to take a person alive.

to escape from the hands of the enemy.

to let the enemy escape.

to rescue some one from the hands of the

enemy.

to suffer a defeat.

to massacre.

to save oneself by flight.

(g) Defeat—Massacre—Wounds—Losses

proelio vinci, superari, inferiorem, victum to be defeated in fight, lose the battle. discedere

cladem hostibus afferre, inferre

cladem accipere

ingentem caedem edere (Liv. 5. 13)

stragem edere, facere

omnia strata sunt ferro

hostes, exercitum delere, concidere

hostes ad internecionem caedere, delere to absolutely annihilate the enemy.

(Liv. 9. 26)

hostium copias occidione occidere (Liv. 2. to absolutely annihilate the enemy.

51)

vulnus infligere alicui

to inflict a defeat on the enemy.

to cause great slaughter, carnage.

all have perished by the sword.

wound to person (also used

to annihilate, cut up the enemy, an army.

metaphorically).

to inflict a mortal wound on some one. accipere, to be (seriously, mortally) wounded.

mortiferam plagam alicui infligere vulnus (grave, mortiferum) excipere

1.50)

vulneribus confectus

vulnera (cicatrices) adversa (opp. aversa)

vulnera adverso corpore accepta

refricare 304 vulnus, cicatricem obductam

ex vulnere mori (Fam. 10. 33)

magno cum detrimento

nostri circiter centum ceciderunt

ad unum omnes 305 perierunt

multis et illatis et acceptis vulneribus (B. G. after many had been wounded on both sides.

weakened by wounds.

wounds (scars) on the breast.

wounds (scars) on the breast.

to open an old wound.

to die of wounds.

with great loss.

about a hundred of our men fell.

they perished to a man.

11. Victory—Triumph

exercitus victor

superiorem (opp. inferiorem),

(proelio, pugna) discedere

victoriam adipisci, parere

victoriam ferre, referre

proelio vincere

victoriam reportare ab hoste

victoriam praecipere (animo) (Liv. 10. 26)

victoriam exploratam dimittere

sicut parta iam atque explorata victoria

victoriam conclamare (B. G. 5. 37)

victoriam or de victoria gratulari alicui

victoria multo sanguine ac vulneribus stetit

(Liv. 23. 30)

triumphare de aliquo (ex bellis)

triumphum 306 agere de or ex aliquo or c.

Gen. (*victoriae, pugnae*)

per triumphum (in triumpho) aliquem ducere triumphum senatus Africano decernit (Fin. 4.

9. 22)

12. Truce—Peace—Treaties—Alliance

indutias facere (Phil. 8. 7) indutias violare ius gentium violare agere cum aliquo de pace pacem conciliare (Fam. 10. 27) to make a truce.

to break a truce.

to violate the law of nations.

to treat with some one about peace.

to bring about a peace.

refricare is also used metaphorically in the sense of renewing, recalling, e.g. dolorem (De Or. 2. 48); memoriam (Phil. 3. 7. 18); desiderium (Fam. 5. 17. 4).

The phrase ad unum omnes, to a man, without exception, occurs De Am. 23. 86; Fam. 12. 14; Liv. . 55; and without *omnes*, Fam. 10. 16; B. C. 3. 14.

E.g. triumphum agere Boiorum (Liv.); Pharsaliae pugnae (Cic.); de Liguribus (Liv.); ex Aequis (Liv.) For other phrases cf. triumphum postulare, imperare; triumphum tertium deportare; triumphum consulis celebrare.

the victorious army. *victorem* to come off victorious.

to gain a victory, win a battle.

to gain a victory, win a battle.

to gain a victory, win a battle.

to gain a victory over the enemy.

to consider oneself already victor.

to let a sure victory slip through one's

as if the victory were already won.

to raise a shout of victory.

to congratulate a person on his victory.

the victory cost much blood and many wounds, was very dearly bought.

to triumph over some one.

to triumph over some one.

to lead some one in triumph.

the senate decrees to Africanus the honours of a triumph.

pacem facere cum aliquo pacem dirimere, frangere his condicionibus pacis condiciones ferre (not proponere) pacis condiciones dare, dicere alicui (Liv. 29. 12) pacis condiciones accipere, subire (opp. repudiare, respuere) pax convenit in eam condicionem, ut... summa pax captivos permutare, commutare captivos redimere (Off. 2. 18) captivos sine pretio reddere obsides dare obsides civitatibus imperare pactionem facere cum aliquo (Sall. Iug. 40) ex pacto, ex foedere foedus facere (cum aliquo), icere, ferire foedus frangere, rumpere, violare socium aliquem asciscere (B. G. 1. 5)

in amicitia populi Romani esse (Liv. 22. 37)

a senatu amicus ³⁰⁷ appellatus est (<u>B. G. 1.</u>

to make peace with some one.

to break the peace.

on these terms.

to propose terms of peace.

to dictate the terms of peace to some one.

to accept the terms of the peace.

peace is concluded on condition that...

deep peace.

to exchange prisoners.

to ransom prisoners.

to restore prisoners without ransom.

to give hostages.

to compel communities to provide hostages.

to conclude a treaty with some one.

according to treaty.

to conclude a treaty, an alliance.

to violate a treaty, terms of alliance.

to make some one one's ally.

to be on friendly terms with the Roman people.

he received from the senate the title of friend.

13. Conquest—Submission

terra potiri

<u>3</u>)

terram suae dicionis facere

2. 34)

populum in deditionem venire cogere populum in deditionem accipere

populum perdomare, subigere

populum, terram suo imperio, suae potestati to make oneself master of a people, country.

subicere (not sibi by itself)

se imperio alicuius subicere (not alicui) in deditionem venire (without alicui)

in alicuius potestatem se permittere

sub imperio et dicione alicuius esse

subjectum esse, obnoxium esse imperio or to be subject to some one, under some dicioni alicuius (not simply alicui)

in potestate, in dicione alicuius esse

qui imperio subiecti sunt

officium...) reducere (Nep. Dat. 2. 3)

to conquer a country.

to reduce a country to subjection to oneself.

populum in potestatem suam redigere (B. G. to reduce a country to subjection to oneself.

to reduce a country to subjection to oneself.

to accept the submission of a people.

to subjugate a nation.

to make one's submission to some one.

to make one's submission to some one.

to make one's submission to some one.

to be subject to some one, under some

one's dominion.

one's dominion.

to be subject to some one, under some one's dominion.

subjects.

aliquem ad officium (cf. sect. X. 7, note to reduce a people to their former

obedience.

amicus, the friend of the Roman people, distinct from socius, an ally; a socius was always amicus, but not necessarily vice versa. The title amicus populi Romani was granted by the senate to foreign princes in recognition of some signal service.

aliquem in officio continere in officio manere, permanere Asiam in provinciae formam (in provinciam) to make Asia into a Roman province. redigere (B. G. 1. 45) Asia populi Romani facta est gentem ad internecionem redigere or to completely annihilate a nation.

to keep some one in subjection. to remain in subjection.

Asia was made subject to Rome.

XVII. Shipping

adducere (B. G. 2. 28)

1. Naval Affairs in General

navis actuaria navis longa navis oneraria navis mercatoria oppidum maritimum navibus plurimum posse rebus maritimis multum valere navem, classem aedificare, facere, efficere, instituere navem (classem) armare, ornare, instruere navem deducere (vid. sect. XII. 1, note *Notice too...*) navem subducere (in aridum) navem reficere navem conscendere, ascendere exercitum in naves imponere (Liv. 22. 19) milites in terram, in terra exponere classiarii 308 (B. C. 3. 100) nautae, remiges vectores (Phil. 7. 9. 27) naves annotinae

a transport or cargo-boat. a merchantman. a seaport town. to have a powerful navy. to have a powerful navy. to build a ship, a fleet. to equip a boat, a fleet. to launch a boat. to haul up a boat. to repair a boat. to embark. to embark an army. to disembark troops. marines. sailors, rowers.

a cutter.

a man-of-war.

2. Voyage—Shipwreck—Landing

solvere (B. G. 4. 28) navem (naves) solvere ancoram (ancoras) tollere naves ex portu solvunt *malacia et tranquillitas* (B. G. 3. 15) vela in altum dare (Liv. 25. 27) ventum (tempestatem) nancti idoneum ex the ships sail out on a fair wind. portu exeunt

to weigh anchor, sail. to weigh anchor, sail. to weigh anchor, sail. the ships sail from the harbour.

a dead calm. to put to sea.

passengers.

ships of last year.

to set the sails.

vela facere, pandere

Also classici milites, classica legio (Liv. 21. 41; 22. 19). The marines were recruited from the lowest classes (capite censi) and from the liberti. The rowers were slaves; the ordinary sailors were socii navales.

vela dare to set the sails. vela contrahere (also metaph.) to furl the sails. *oram legere* (Liv. 21. 51) to hug the coast. superare insulam, promunturium to double an island, cape. ventis reflantibus (Tusc. 1. 49) with the wind against one. cursum dirigere aliquo to set one's course for a place. cursum tenere (opp. commutare and deferri) to hold on one's course. cursum conficere (Att. 5. 12. 1) to finish one's voyage. gubernaculum tractare to steer. clavum tenere to steer. navem remis agere or propellere to row. remis contendere to row hard. navem remis concitare, incitare to row hard. sustinere, inhibere remos (De Or. 1. 33) to stop rowing; to easy. navem retro inhibere (Att. 13. 21) to back water. naufragium facere to be shipwrecked. the ship strikes on the rocks. navis ad scopulos alliditur (B. C. 3. 27) to run before the wind. vento se dare in litus eici (B. G. 5. 10) to be stranded. deferri, deici aliquo to be driven out of one's course; to drift. tempestate abripi to be driven out of one's course; to drift. procella (tempestas) aliquem ex alto ad the storm drives some one on an unknown ignotas terras (oras) defert coast. naufragium colligere (Sest. 6. 15) to collect the wreckage. appellere navem (ad terram, litus) to land (of people). appelli (ad oram) (Att. 13. 21) to land (of ships). ancoras iacere to drop anchor. ancoras tollere to weigh anchor. naves ad ancoras deligare (B. G. 4. 29) naves (classem) constituere (in alto) ad ancoram consistere

to make fast boats to anchors. to make fast boats to anchors.

to ride at anchor. to ride at anchor. to ride at anchor. to land, disembark. to land, disembark. to land, disembark. to be unable to land.

to keep the coast and harbours in a state of blockade.

to founder, go down.

at high tide.

3. A Naval Battle

deperire

aestu incitato

ad ancoras deligari

exire, egredi in terram

exire ex, de navi

in ancoris esse, stare, consistere

escensionem facere (of troops)

portu, terra prohiberi (B. C. 3. 15)

litora ac portus custodia clausos tenere

navis praetoria (Liv. 21. 49) pugnam navalem facere navem expedire navem rostro percutere navem expugnare

the admiral's ship; the flagship. to fight a battle at sea. to clear for action. to charge, ram a boat.

to board and capture a boat.

For a description of a sea-fight vid. B. G. iii. 13-16.

navem, classem deprimere, mergere classes concurrunt (Liv. 26. 39) copulas, manus ferreas (in navem) inicere in navem (hostium) transcendere navem capere, intercipere, deprehendere vela armamentaque ex eo navium concursu magnum incommodum est acceptum navigia speculatoria

to sink a ship, a fleet.
the fleets charge.
to throw grappling irons on board; to board.
to throw grappling irons on board; to board.
to capture a boat.
sails and rigging.
much damage was done by this collision.

reconnoitring-vessels.

APPENDIX

haec (fere) dixit

ut ait Cicero (always in this order) as Cicero says. ut Ciceronis verbis utar to use Cicero's expression; to say with Cicero (not ut cum Cicerone loquar). ut ita dicam so to speak (used to modify a figurative expression). ut non (nihil) dicam de... not to mention... ut plura non dicam to say nothing further on... ne dicam not to say... (used in avoiding a stronger expression). ne (quid) gravius dicam to say the least... ut breviter dicam to put it briefly. denique in short; to be brief. ne multa, quid plura? sed quid opus est in short; to be brief. plura? ut paucis (rem) absolvam in short; to be brief. ut paucis (brevi, breviter) complectar in short; to be brief. ut brevi comprehendam in short; to be brief. ut brevi praecīdam in short; to be brief. ut eorum, quae dixi, summam faciam to sum up... ne longum sit not to be prolix. ne longus, multus sim not to be prolix. ne diutius vos demorer not to be prolix. ne in re nota et pervulgata multus sim not to be diffuse on such a well-known subject. ut levissime dicam (opp. ut gravissimo verbo to use the mildest expression. utar) ut planius dicam to express myself more plainly. ut verius dicam to put it more exactly. ut semel or in perpetuum dicam to say once for all. to use the same simile, illustration. ut in eodem simili verser ut hoc utar or afferam to use this example. dicam quod sentio I will give you my true opinion. tantum or unum illud or hoc dico I will only say this much... non nego, non infitior I do not deny. this can be said of..., applies to... hoc dici potest de aliqua re hoc cadit in aliquid this can be said of..., applies to... hoc transferri potest in aliquid this can be said of..., applies to... dixi quasi praeteriens or in transitu I said *en passant*, by the way. I have said it a thousand times. sexcenties, millies dixi ut supra (opp. infra) diximus, dictum est as I said above. dici vix (non) potest or vix potest dici (vix I cannot find words for... like *non* always before *potest*) it sounds incredible. incredibile dictu est supersedeo oratione (not dicere) I avoid mentioning...; I prefer not to touch omitto dicere I avoid mentioning...; I prefer not to touch upon... haec habeo dicere or habeo quae dicam this I have to say.

he spoke (very much) as follows.

hanc in sententiam dixit
mihi quaedam dicenda sunt de hac re
quod vere praedicare possum
quod non arroganter dixerim
pace tua dixerim or dicere liceat
bona (cum) venia tua dixerim
non est huius loci c. Inf.
non est hic locus, ut...
sed de hoc alias pluribus
atque or sed haec (quidem) hactenus

atque haec quidem de...

ac (sed) de ... satis dixi, dictum est

haec (quidem) ille
haec Ciceronis fere
atque etiam hoc animadvertendum est
ad reliqua pergamus, progrediamur
hic (ille) locus obscurus est
hoc in medio relinquamus
sed lābor longius

non id ad vivum reseco (Lael. 5. 8) nonnulla praedīcam

ut omittam c. Accus.

cum discessi, -eris, -eritis ab

praeter c. Accus.

ut praetermittam c. Acc. c. Inf. praeterquam quod or nisi quod

hoc in promptu est hoc in aperto est

hoc est luce (sole ipso) clarius hoc facile intellegi potest hoc per se intellegitur hoc sua sponte appāret

ex quo intellegitur or intellegi potest, debet

ex quo perspicuum est inde patet, appāret apparet et exstat exstat atque eminet

si quaeris, si verum quaerimus id quod maximum, gravissimum est

quod caput est quod maius est

testis est, testatur, declarat

documento, indicio est (without demonstr. pron. but cui rei documento, indicio est)

sed hoc nihil (sane) ad rem

aliquid $(\tau \mid)$ dicis (opp. nihil dicis)

est istuc quidem aliquid

audio, fateor

the tenor of his speech was this... I have a few words to say on this. without wishing to boast, yet...

which I can say without offence, arrogance.

allow me to say. allow me to say.

this is not the place to... this is not the place to... more of this another time.

so much for this subject...; enough has been said on...

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this much he said.

this is very much what Cicero said.

there is this also to notice.

to pass on.

this passage is obscure. let us leave that undecided. but that takes us too far. I do not take that too strictly.

I wish to say a few words in preface.

putting aside, except. putting aside, except. putting aside, except. to except the fact that... to except the fact that...

it is clear, evident. it is clear, evident.

this is as clear as daylight.

that is self-evident, goes without saying. that is self-evident, goes without saying. that is self-evident, goes without saying.

from this it appears, is apparent. from this it appears, is apparent. from this it appears, is apparent.

it is quite manifest. it is quite manifest. to put it exactly. the main point. the main point.

what is more important. this shows, proves... this shows, proves...

but this is not to the point.

there is something in what you say; you are more or less right.

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I admit it, say on.

ain tu? do you think so? are you in earnest? nonne? is it not so?

quorsum haec (dicis)?what do you mean?male (opp. bene) narras (de)I am sorry to hear...monstra dicis, narrasit is incredible.clarius loquerespeak up, please.mihi crede (not crede mihi)believe me.

per me licet I have no objection.

rem acu tetigisti you have hit the nail on the head. ita prorsus existimo that is exactly what I think.

ita res est it is so.

res ita (aliter) se habet the matter stands so (otherwise).

nec mirum, minime mirum (id quidem), quid no wonder.

mirum?

neque id mirum est or videri debet there is nothing strange in that.

et recte (iure, merito)quite rightly.et recte (iure) quidemquite rightly.recte, iure id quidemquite rightly.neque immerito (iniuria)and rightly too.neque id immerito (iniuria)and rightly too.meo (tuo, suo) iurewith perfect right.iusto iurewith perfect right.

iustissime, rectissime legitimately; with the fullest right.

optimo iure (cf. summo iure, sect. XV. 1). legitimately; with the fullest right. macte virtute (esto or te esse iubeo) good luck to you.

sed manum de tabula! but enough!

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